24 CARAT

GOLD DUST

1984

SMYRNA HIGH SCHOOL
TENN.

John Vizena

Larry,
You are a very special friend.
We've had a lot of good times
together this year. Can you believe
it is almost time to graduate?
I hope you know I plan to
bug ~~to~~ you to death this
summer and during college.
You are a true friend.
I love ya!
Jamie

TABLE OF CONTENTS

Opening Section 1
Administration 8
Classes 24
Student Life 96
Clubs and Organizations 128
Sports 180
Advertisements 210

Hey Dude, We have had some great times over the yeas and hope to have many more. You thought Spring Break was wild this year you just wait til next year. Well I'm sure we'll keep in-touch so I don't have to worry about that. See ya this summer. and after we move out.

Friends Always
Mike

John,
Well, the year is almost over, seems like it just started. I hope to see you this summer, maybe I will, who knows. Untill then. Have fun, and luck in the future.

Love Ya,
Shauna
Towery

Cindy
Morgan
Good Luck!

John,
Hi! I'm glad we got to be good friends! I'll miss you next year! Have a great summer and good luck in the future!

Love Ya,
Shelly Cox
(Cantlon)

SMYRNA HIGH SCHOOL TENN.

John,
It's been fun beening with you and the others good luck in the future.
Love
michael
Ewsen

John,
I just met
you this year.
and I am glad
we become friends
I hope we can always
be friends. Good Luck
and Best Wishes.
Rhoda
Potts
84"

24 CARAT GOLD DUST

Smyrna High School

Hazelwood Drive

Smyrna, Tennessee

Vol. 37

1984

SMYRNA HIGH SCHOOL

24 CARAT GOLD DUST

In Celebration of a Quarter Century

The graduating class of 1984 will be the twenty-fifth class to graduate from the present Smyrna High School. The class of 1960 moved into the newly built school in January of 1960. In celebration of a quarter century, we present a ***24 Carat Gold*** *yearbook.*

How does ***24 carat gold*** *relate to our school and community? It relates to Smyrna in many ways.* ***Twenty-four carat gold*** *is valuable and precious and a symbol of richness, wealth, and success. Quality and excellence are often represented by the precious metal. Gold at one time even created boomtowns.*

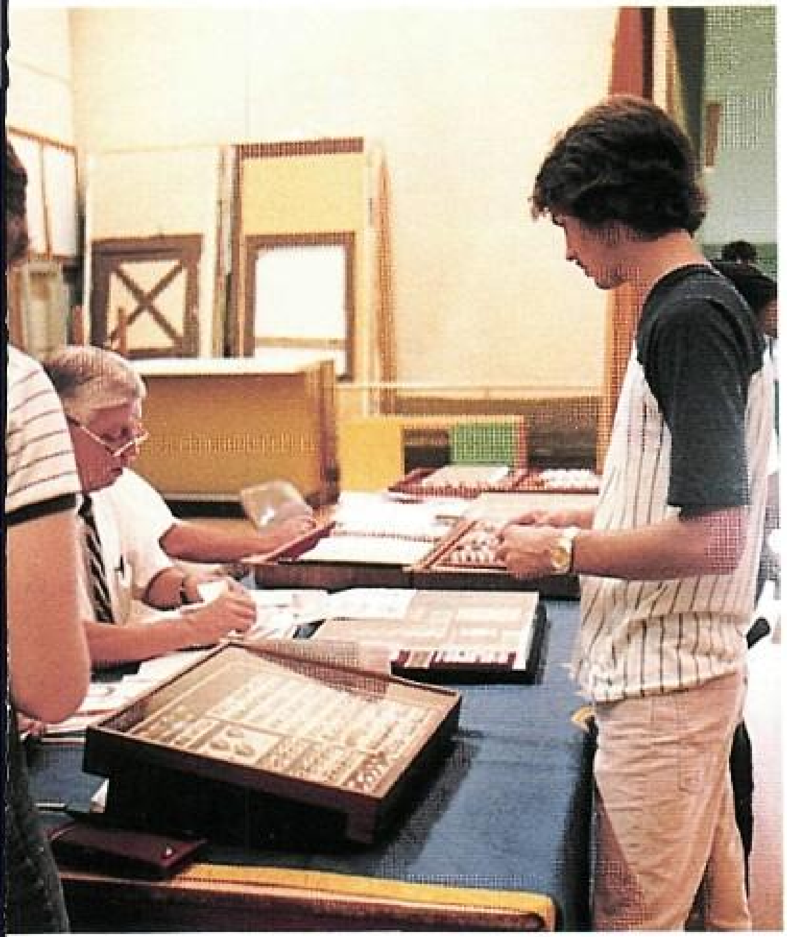
In many ways Smyrna is a boomtown. With the opening of the Datsun plant Nissan, a chain reaction of businesses opening has spurred growth. Bridgestone has offered job opportunities to the Smyrna-LaVergne community. The opening of restaurants, such as Pepperoni's Playhouse, Bonanza, McDonald's, Hardee's, The Electric Scene, Pizza Hut, and Taco Bell, provided many golden opportunities to Smyrna students. All in all 1984 is a ***24 carat gold*** *year for Smyrna.*

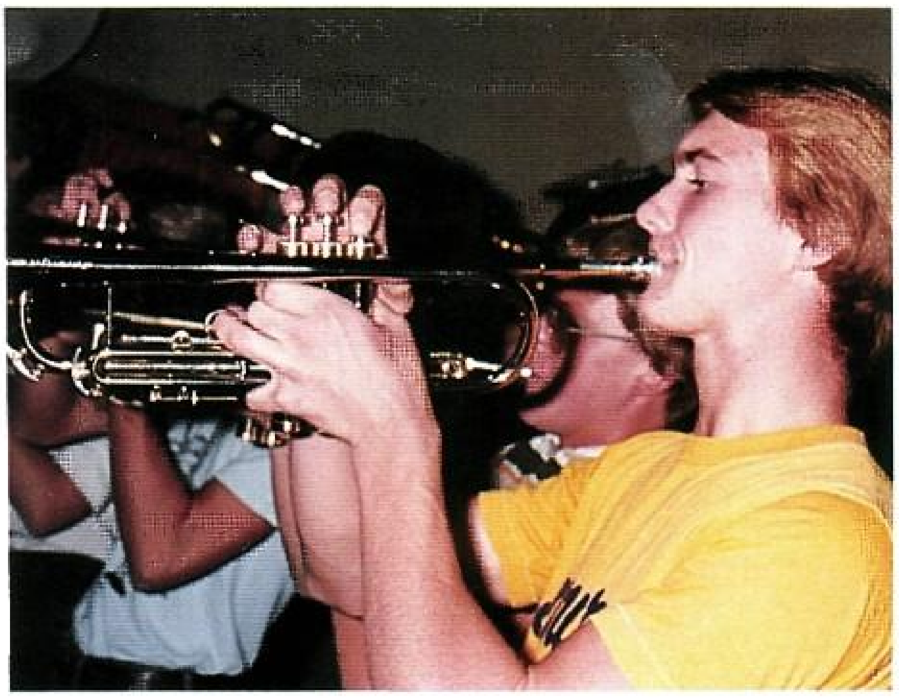
CHEVROLET
DUANE LOUX
GM
BUY NOW BEFORE BIG CITY PRICES

Sign of the Times. *Duane Loux Chevrolet emphasizes the feelings of our growing community with the quote, "Buy now before big city prices."*

A Welcoming Address. *The new sophomores at Smyrna High school are treated to the traditional welcoming speech by our principal, Mr. Raikes.*

Just Completed. *As a result of incoming industry, Smyrna has upgraded several roads and built many new bridges in order to allow traffic to move more quickly and smoothly.*





A Junior Tradition. *The purchase of a class ring is an important part of the year for juniors. Here, Dale Page checks the assortment with Tom Yokley of Balfour Company.*

A Talented Group. *Eddie Paul displays his musical ability along with the other members of the pep band at the school's first pep rally.*

Always Working. *Because one of her many duties as a journalism student is selling ads for the* **Gold Dust,** *Sharon Jones makes sure that Steve Graves, the school's magazine representative, buys a space.*

GOLDEN BONDS

REGION V CHAMPS
STATE
QUARTER FINAL
PLAYERS
COACHES
OFFICAL
ONLY
EXIT

Pep Rally Spirit. *The flag girls really show their spirit as they jump up and down to the pep band's music at our first pep rally of the football season.*

Sophomores in Auditorium. *Once again sophomores are welcomed to S.H.S. with a speech from Mr. Raikes on registration day. Many lifelong friendships start on the first days of high school.*

Troublesome Twosome. *Mr. McPeak and Mr. McAnally seem to be having fun talking to each other. They are probably discussing the psychological effects of the Revolutionary War on man today.*

Cool as Usual. *Tracy Howse, Duncan House, Patrick Peebles, Chris Peebles, Anthony Simpson, and Valerie Malone are having a great time kidding around for the camera.*

Playing the Flute. *Band members Melanie Glover, Karen Stahr, Jennifer Weitemeyer, and Teresa Bolton are seen playing in the pep band for a football pep rally.*
In Assistance. *Mr. Thomas assists a student as she completes her registration cards during registration.*

Ties That Last

Bonds that exist between friends at S.H.S. are strengthened each year as friends become closer. By the time students become seniors, the bonds between them may be as "strong as gold." When the students leave, many may become lifetime friends.

Seniors have bonds between themselves and the school and teachers that they will be leaving. Teachers form bonds with their students and other members of the staff. Sophomores begin to form new bonds with school as that bulldog spirit is emblazoned into their hearts and souls. Team members must form ties of reliance and loyalty in order to perform to the best of their ability.

All students rely on their families for strength and encouragement from time to time. All of these bonds are important to our school, homes, and community. Even when we as students must leave, the ties that we have formed while here shall be cherished forever.

McDonald's. *The McDonald's sign is just a sample of the support our Smyrna-La Vergne community gives S.H.S.*
Playing the Cymbals. *Dean Mullenax shows his spirit by playing inspirational pep music to get the football team fired up.*

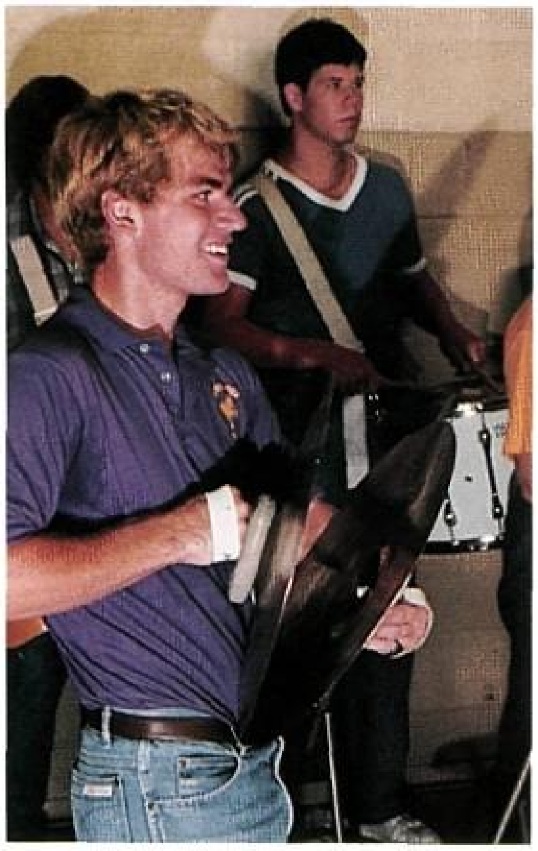
McDonald's
OVER 45 BILLION SERVED
DRIVE-THRU
McDonald's
YOU ARE NOW IN BULLDOG COUNTRY GO SMYRNA WIN!

Pure As Gold

The gymnasium was filled with cheering, screaming bulldog fans as the clock clicked down the final seconds of the game. The buzzer rang, and Smyrna High School was in ecstasy again at victory!

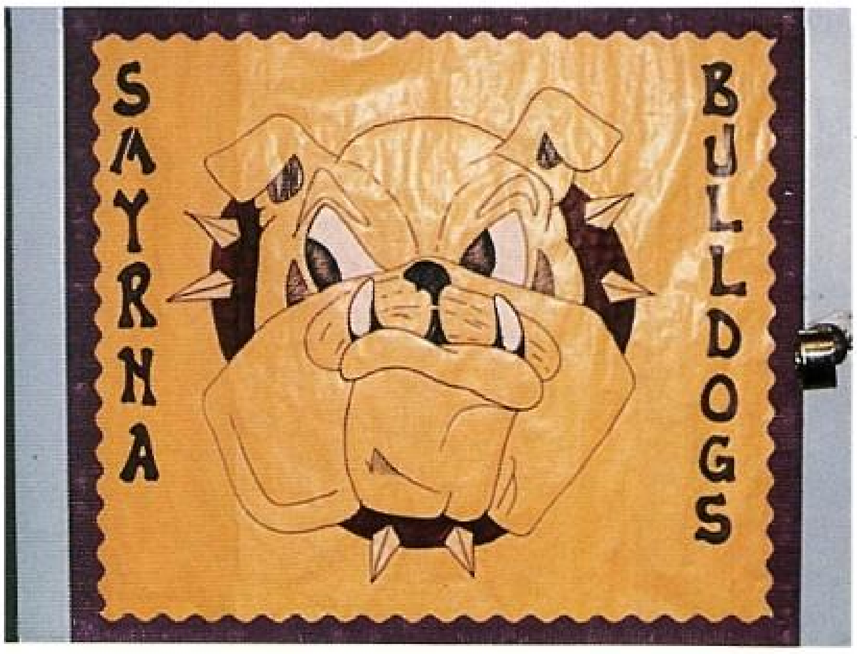
We at Smyrna High are proud of our school and express it in many ways. Our cheerleaders, Pep Club, and mascots help excite the purple and gold spirit in the 1,154 teen-agers enrolled in our school. Posters, banners, buttons, spirit sticks, shirts, and jackets displayed throughout the school and wherever we go show the public how much we believe in our school. ***Paw Power*** *is a term we use to describe the awesome spirit and unity created when our school acts as one, standing behind the teams through all situations.*

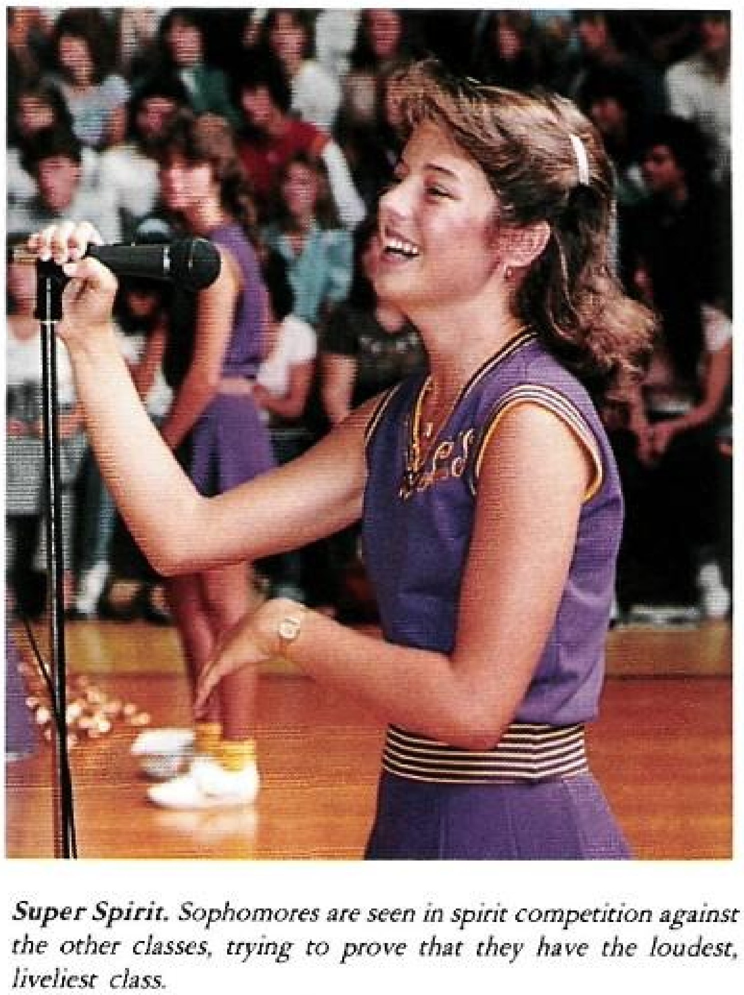
Students' participation, however, is not limited to sports. Our clubs are very active in making the school year enjoyable for the students. Togetherness, loyalty, and spirit play a big part in this. In one form or another, each student expresses that bulldog spirit in his own way.



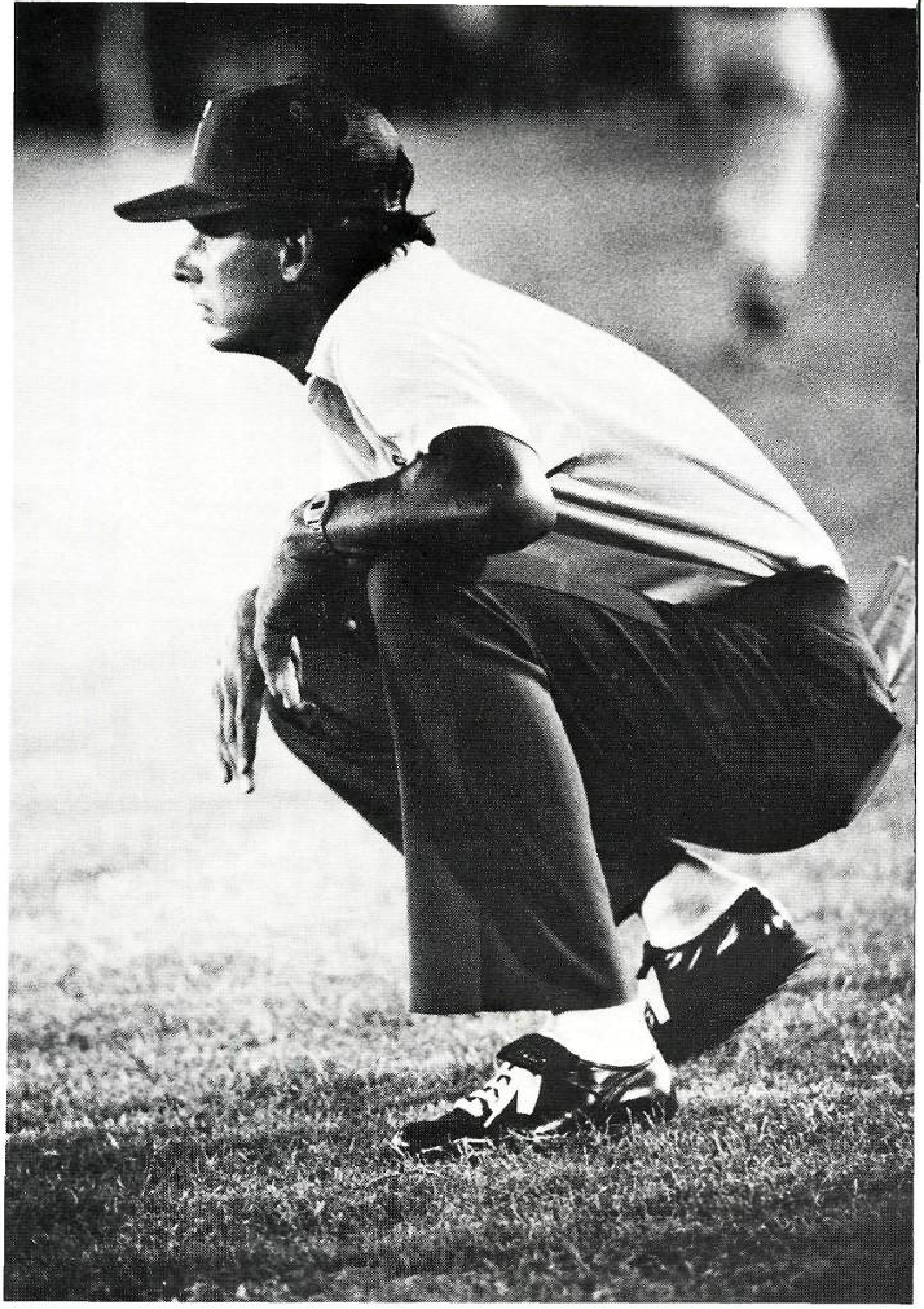
Cheerleaders Getting Their Instructions. *Mr. Raikes is seen talking to our ICF Grand Champion cheerleaders, telling them what they need to do on registration day.*
Bulldogs on the Line. *Getting ready for action, our football line is seen in stance formation against rivalry Murfreesboro Oakland.*

THAT BULLDOG SPIRIT





Super Spirit. *Sophomores are seen in spirit competition against the other classes, trying to prove that they have the loudest, liveliest class.*
Bulldog Bulletin Board. *This bulletin board is an example of our great bulldog spirit here at Smyrna High School.*
Having Fun. *Sandi Johns is having fun talking into the microphone, explaining the spirit game to spirited students.*

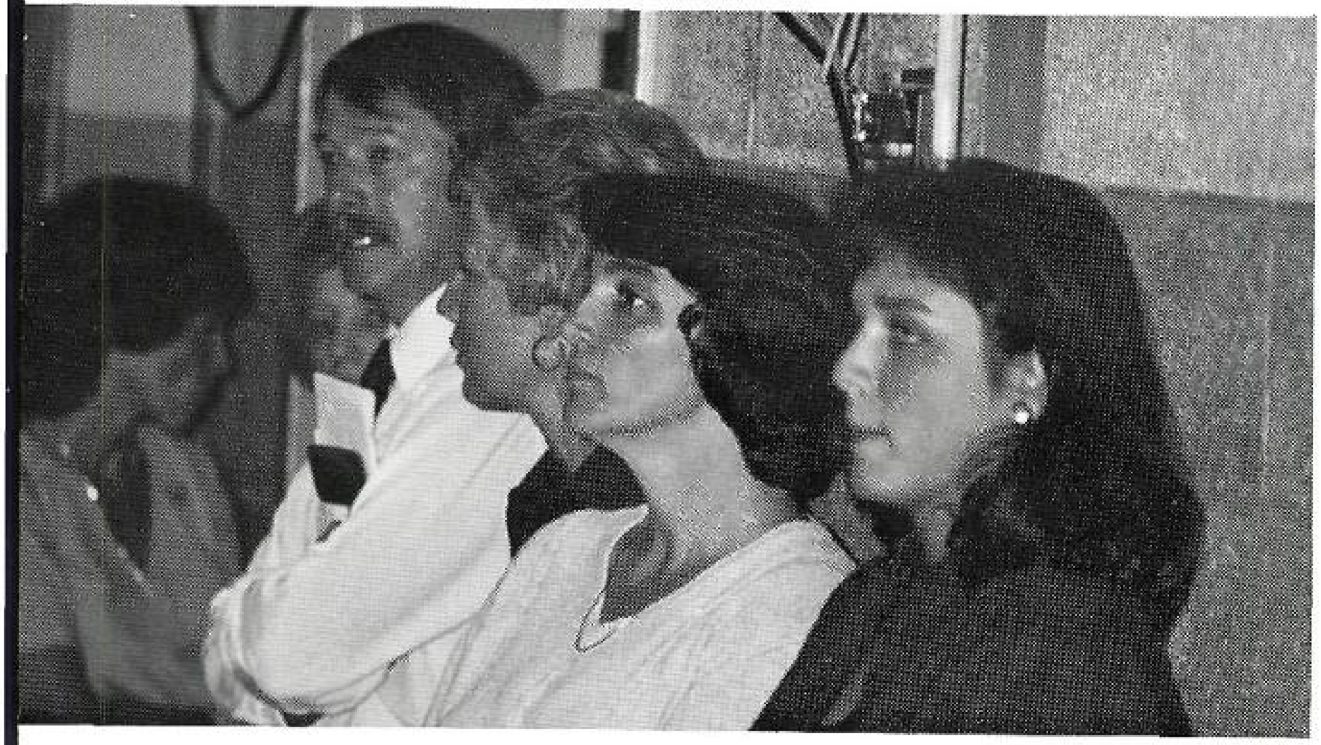


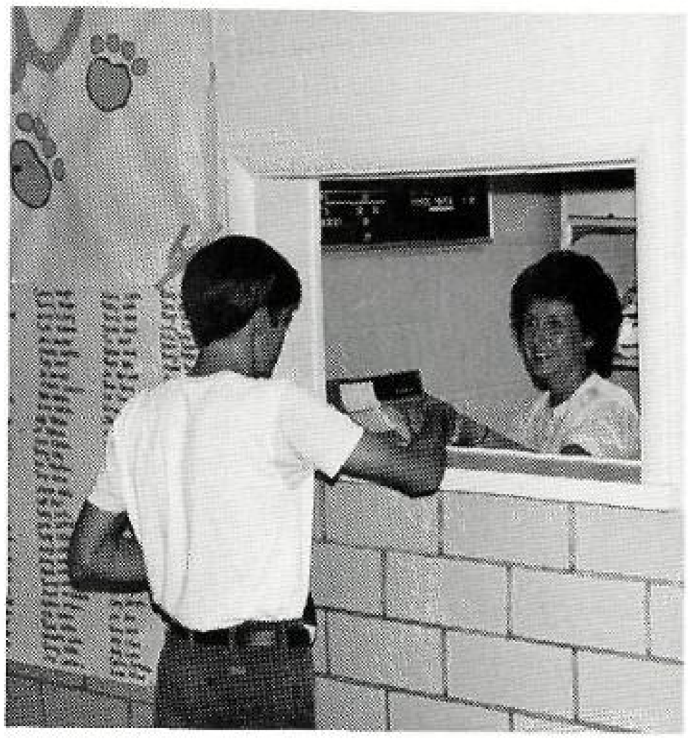
The faculty of Smyrna High School is a very talented group of people. Each faculty member works to make our school better. This section includes information on teachers' interests, accomplishments, and school activities. A teacher's job often involves much more than lecturing to classes, assigning homework, and grading papers. Many times teachers stay after school to complete extra work or to assist a student who needs help. For our **Twenty-Four Carat Gold** *staff, teaching is more than just a job; it is a joy.*

Full of Information. *Mrs. Pineault addresses 4-H members during the first meeting to outline the club's activities.*

Keeping a Watchful Eye. *Coach Shackelford observes his team carefully during a home football game. — Photo by Jim Davis*

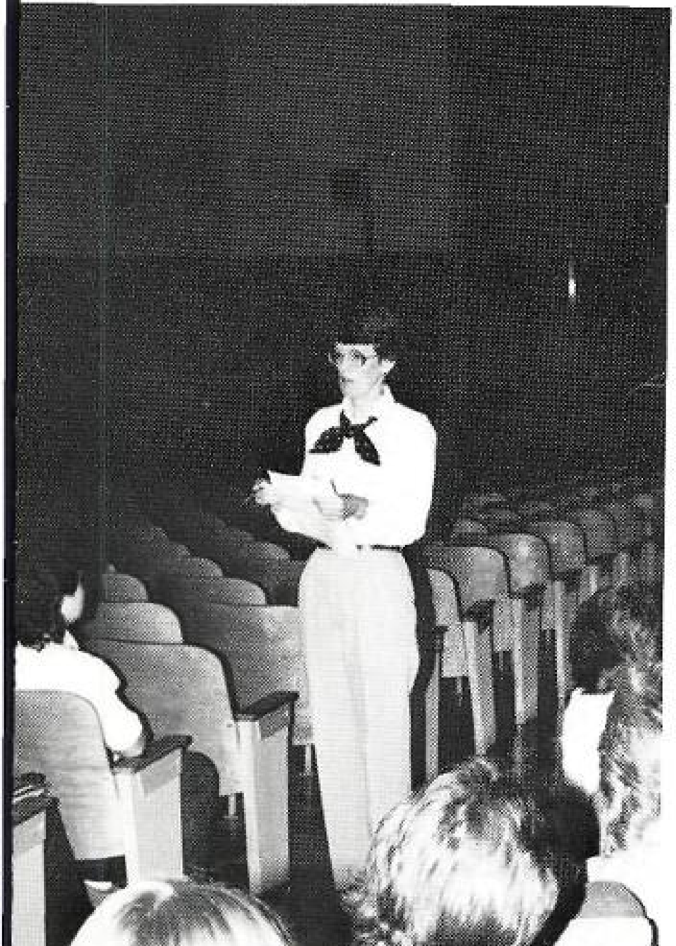
ADMINISTRATION





All Lined Up. *Listening to speeches made by cheerleaders, coaches, and team members, these teachers seem to be in a deep state of concentration.*

Service With a Smile. *While helping a student with last minute preparations, Mrs. Thompson brightens the day.*



One of Many Meetings. A group of students are gathered in the auditorium to hear a few helpful hints from Mrs. Clemens.

A Monotonous Duty. *Mrs. Bell assists some confused sophomores with their registration cards.*

MR. ROBERT L. RAIKES, PRINCIPAL

In Recognition of Twenty-Five Years of Service

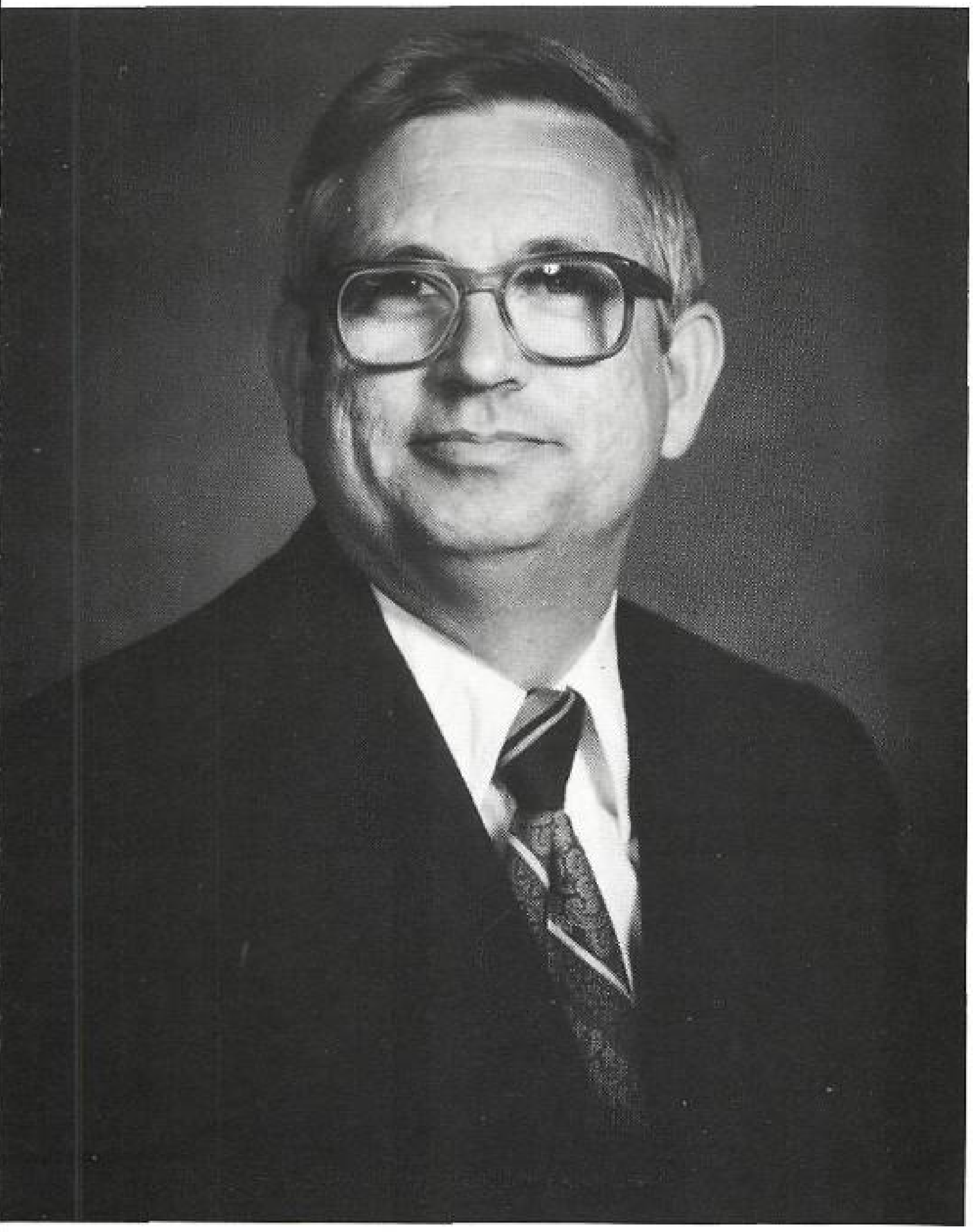
The 1983-84 school year marks Mr. Robert L. Raikes' twenty-fifth year of service to Smyrna High School. Having served as both a faculty member and an administrator, he has seen many changes come to Smyrna High School. These changes include an increase in students, a broadening of the curriculum, and newly built additions to the school.

After graduating from M.T.S.U., Mr. Raikes returned to his alma mater S.H.S., which was the old rock school at this time. He taught seventh and eighth grade health and science classes. In January 1967, grades seven through twelve were moved to the newly constructed Smyrna High School, designed to accommodate 750 students. Mr. J.J. McWilliams was the principal at this time.

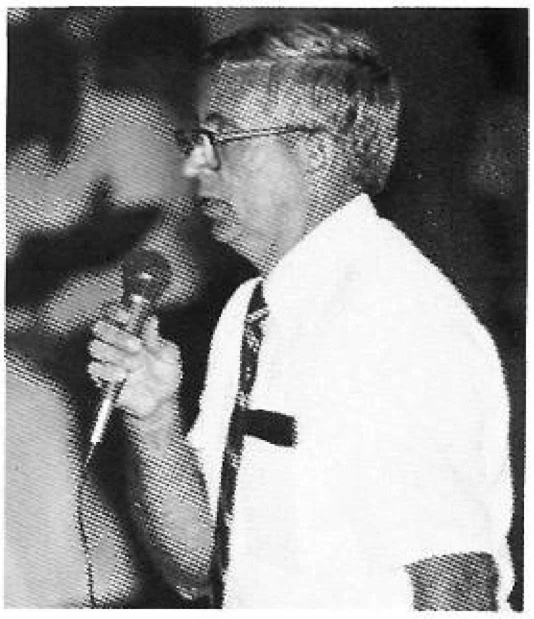
At the new school, Mr. Raikes was not only a teacher but also the assistant football coach under Jack Jolly. After Mr. Jolly left, Mr. Raikes became head coach and also coached the basketball team. Being offered the position of principal, Mr. Raikes withdrew from his position as coach in October of 1973 after the death of Mr. McWilliams.

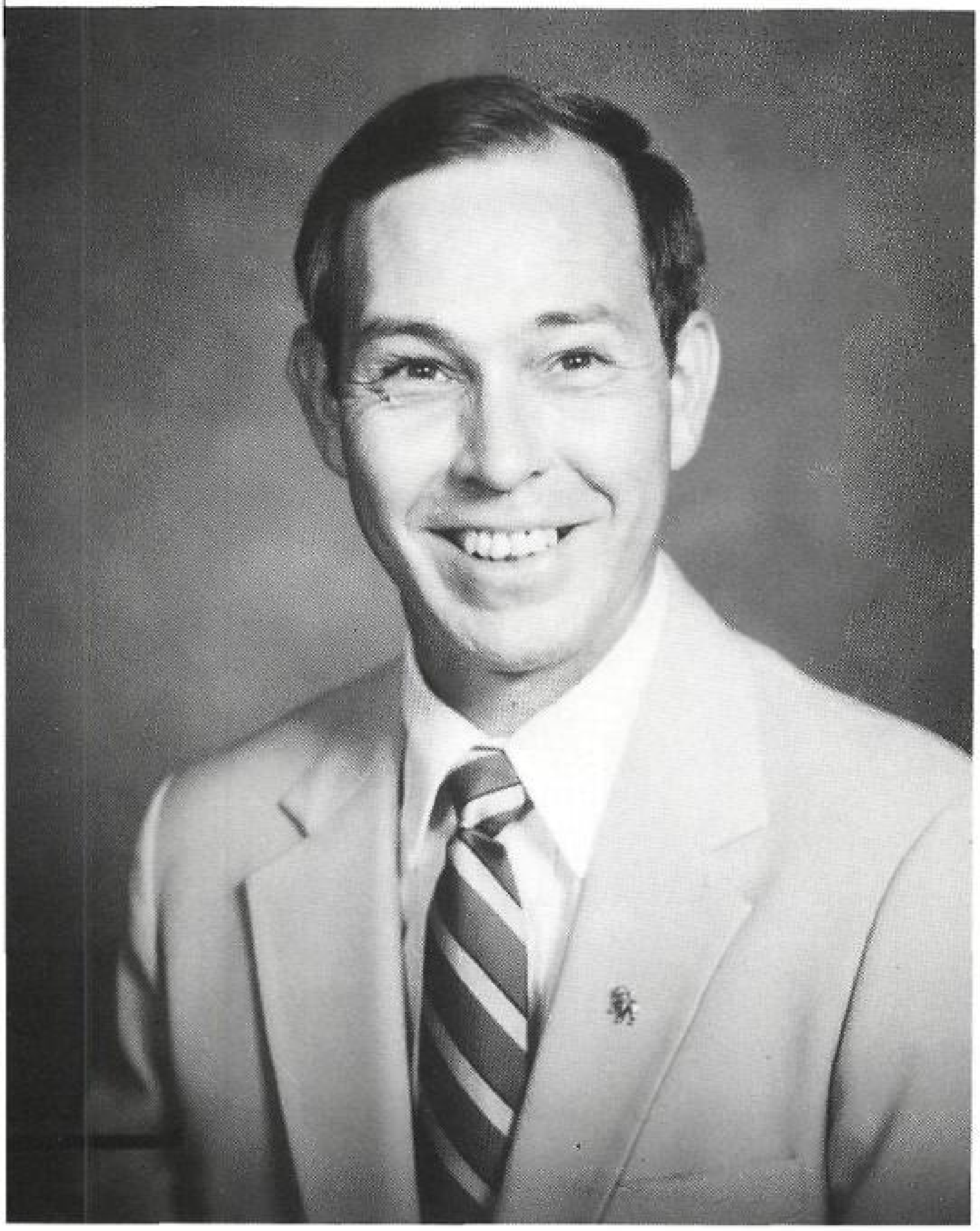
As principal, he has seen many improvements made at S.H.S. The school has added six classrooms to the original building, a wood shop, the vocational building, and a practice field for the football team. Curriculum now ranges from air conditioning and refrigeration to computer math. When Mr. Raikes was asked what has changed the most, he said, "The number of students, mostly because when I first started teaching, the graduating class was only about seventy students. Now this number has almost reached four hundred per year."

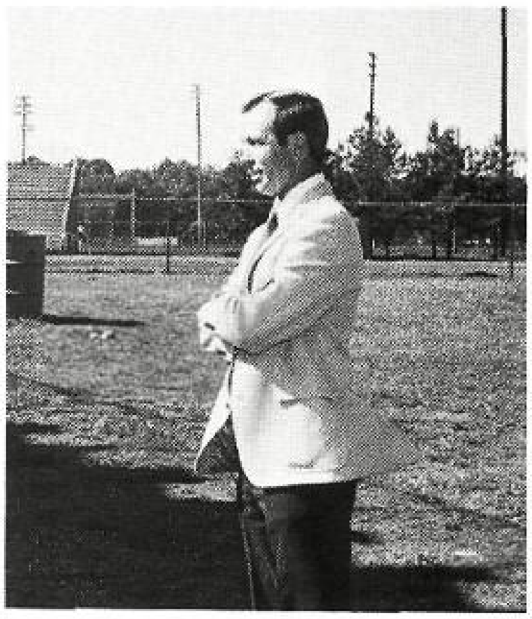
It is an honor for the ***Gold Dust*** *staff to recognize this outstanding educator in his twenty-fifth year of dedicated service to Smyrna High School. He is indeed* ***Twenty-Four Carat Gold.***



Mr. David W. Miller
Assistant Principal







Mr. Robert E. Shipp
Assistant Principal

DEDICATION

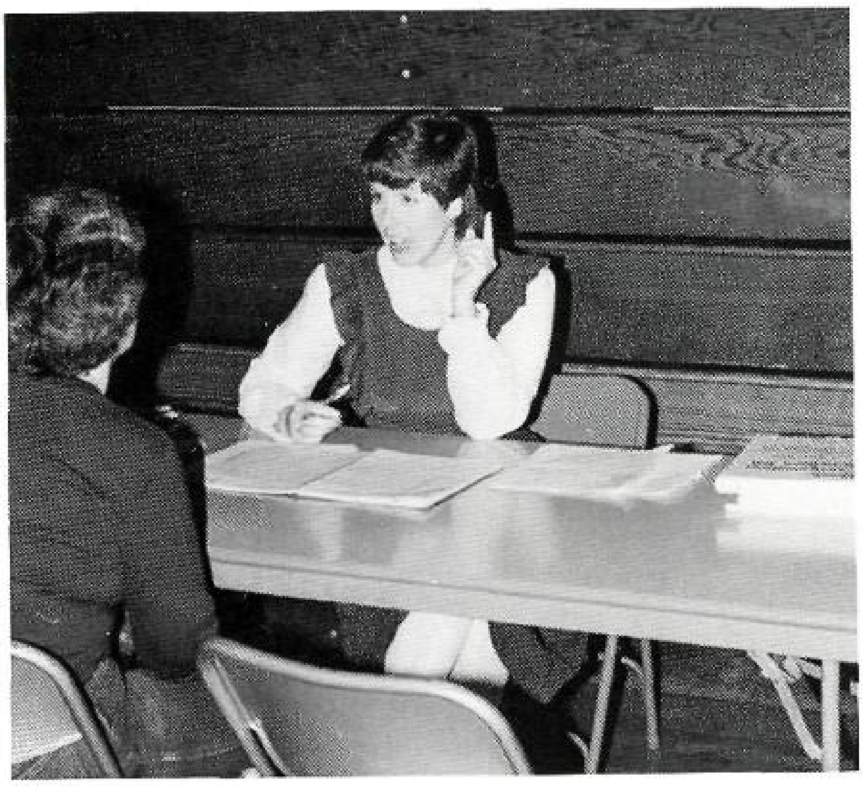
Mrs. Vicky B. Smith

The 1983-84 ***Gold Dust*** *yearbook is dedicated to a most caring teacher, Mrs. Vicky B. Smith. Mrs. Smith teaches junior English and is a Beta Club sponsor. She is also a sponsor for the senior class, a job about which she is very enthusiastic.*

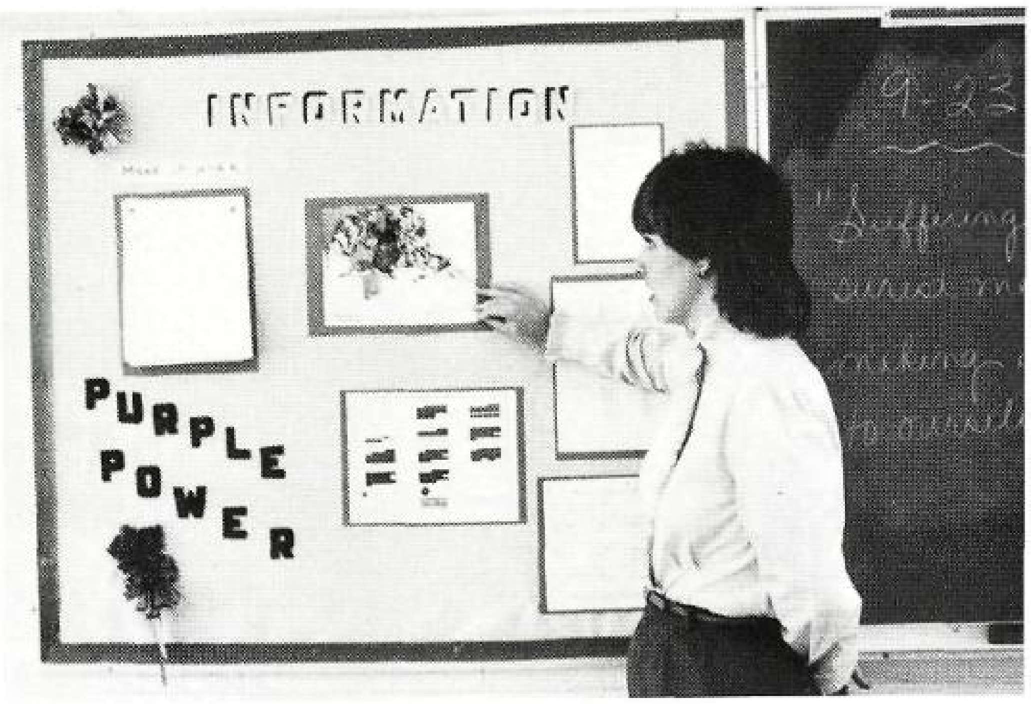
Her love of teaching is evident each day in her actions, energy, and emotion which she puts into her discussions with her classes. Mrs. Smith possesses an honest, caring attitude and often stays after school to help her students with any problem. She uses her good sense of humor and enthusiasm about literature to spark interest in her students. Each morning she writes a saying or quote on the chalkboard, usually optimistic, on topics such as fear, love, nature, time, beauty, music, pride, and wisdom. Mrs. Smith's quote for the day is something that many of her students look forward to reading each time they enter her class.

Mrs. Smith is well respected by her professional peers and was elected as a Rutherford Education Association representative by the members of the S.H.S. faculty. Mrs. Smith, a talented singer, performs with the Murfreesboro Community Chorus. Actively involved in her church, she also teaches a Sunday School class.

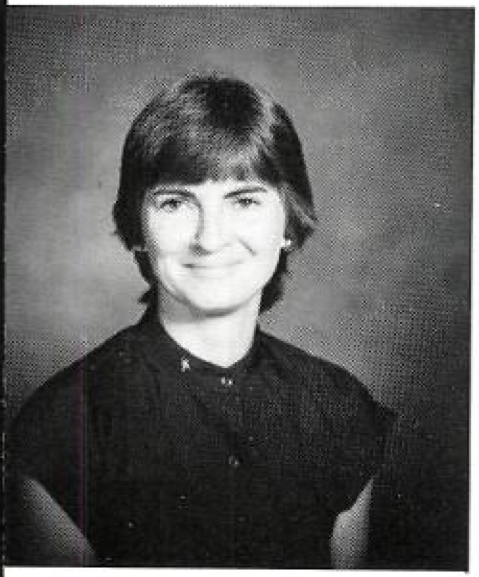
We, the ***Gold Dust*** *staff, proudly dedicate this yearbook to a truly* ***Twenty-Four Carat Gold*** *teacher and person, Mrs. Vicky B. Smith.*

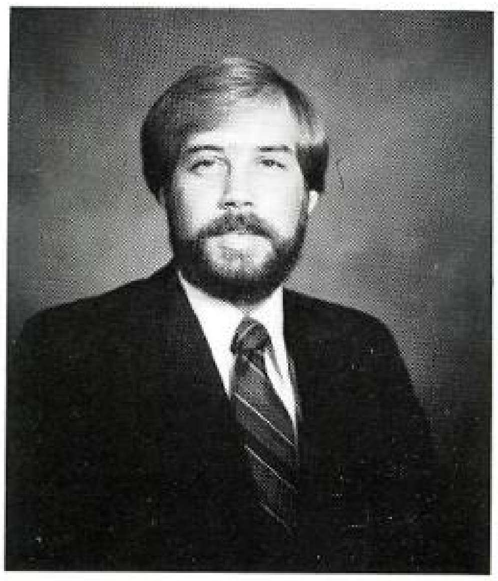


Making Her Point. *Mrs. Smith demonstrated her dedication along with other teachers by continuing with her parent-teacher conferences in the gymnasium after part of the school had flooded.*



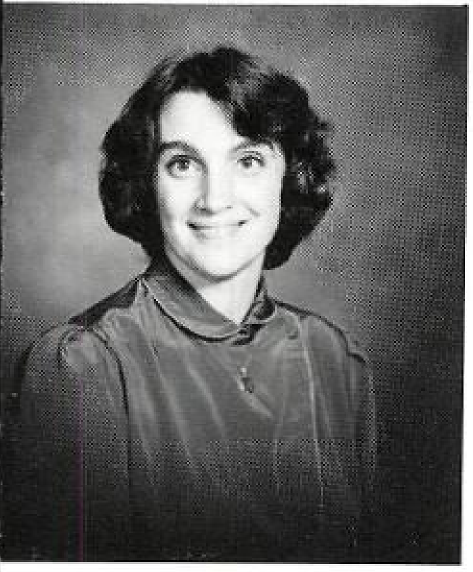
Notables and Quotables. *Creativity is important to Mrs. Smith as she shows in her bulletin board decorations and her various quotes for the day.*

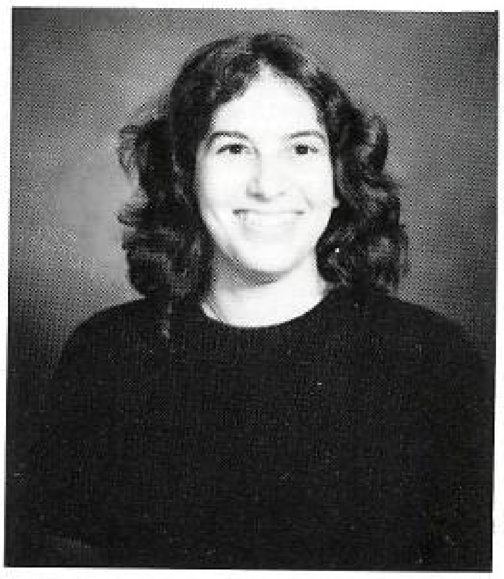


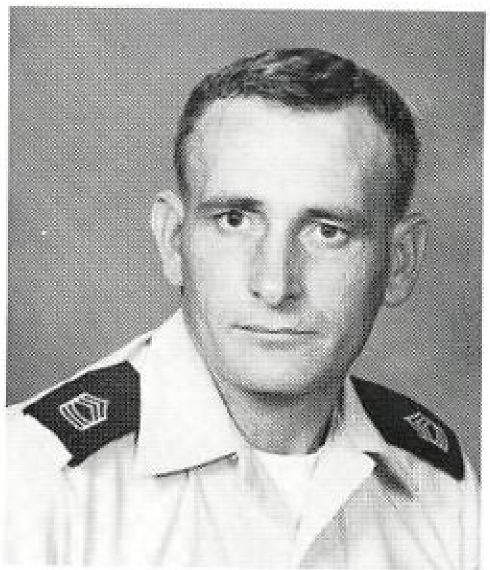


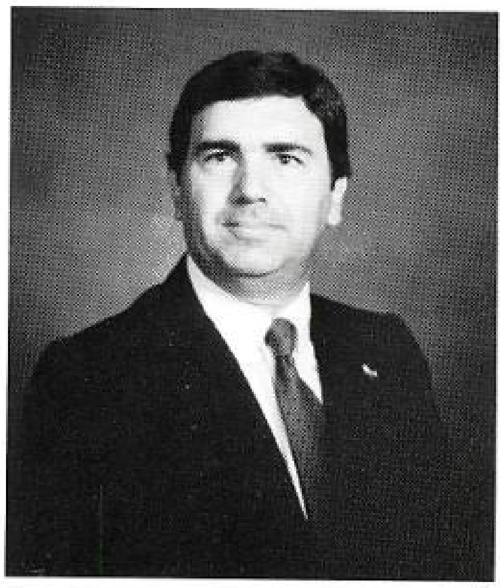
Mrs. Jane Ailes *— Unified Geometry, Algebra II, Mu Alpha Theta Co-Sponsor*

Mr. William B. Beasley *— American History, U.S. Government, Key Club Sponsor*









Mrs. Sara Bell *— Food Service, FHA-Hero Sponsor*

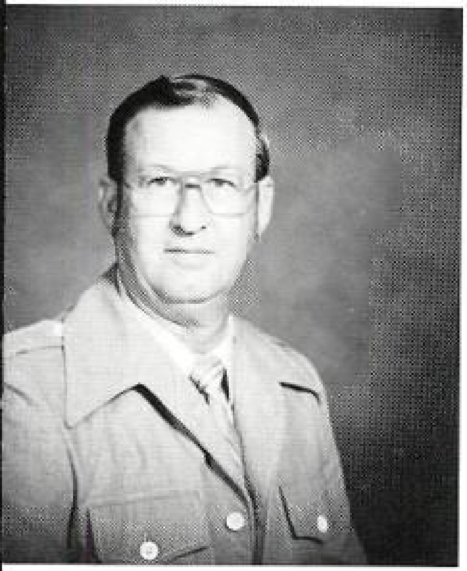
Mrs. Janet Belser *— Resource*

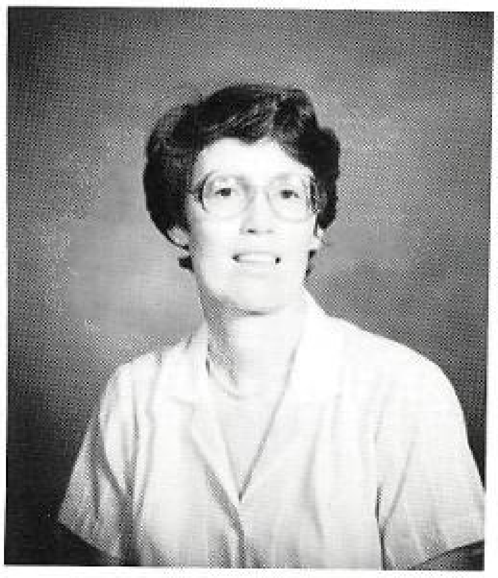
Msg. Sam Blinn *— R.O.T.C.*

Mrs. J.D. Brogli *— Sophomore English, National Honor Society Sponsor*

Mr. Larry W. Bucy *— Art, Cross Country Coach, Art Club Sponsor*

Mrs. Betty Winters Campbell *— Accounting I and II, Business Law*





Mr. Earl W. Clark *— Air Conditioning and Refrigeration I and II, VICA Sponsor*

Mrs. Judy Clemens *— Guidance Counselor, Boys' Tennis Coach*

Mrs. Cornelia Freeman Cooper — *Librarian*

Mrs. Joyce Covington — *Occupational Child Care, FHA-HERO Sponsor*

Mrs. Elysse Dobson — *Comprehensive Development Class*

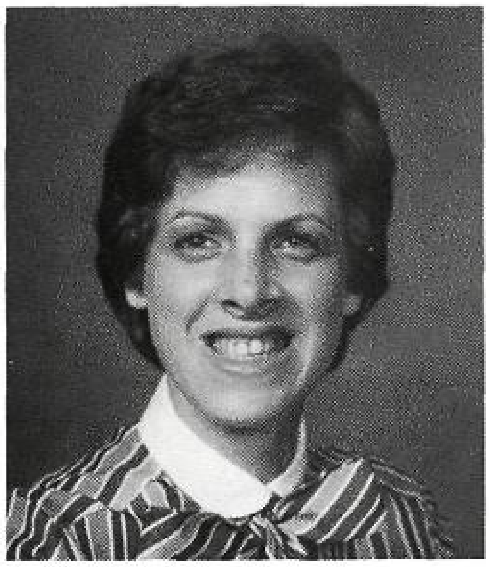
Mr. Joe Getsay — *Guidance Counselor*

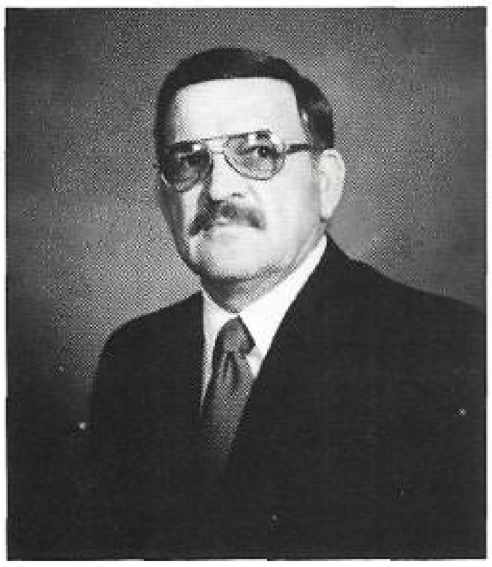
Mr. Fred W. Gibson — *Biology, Driver Education, Pep Club Co-Sponsor*

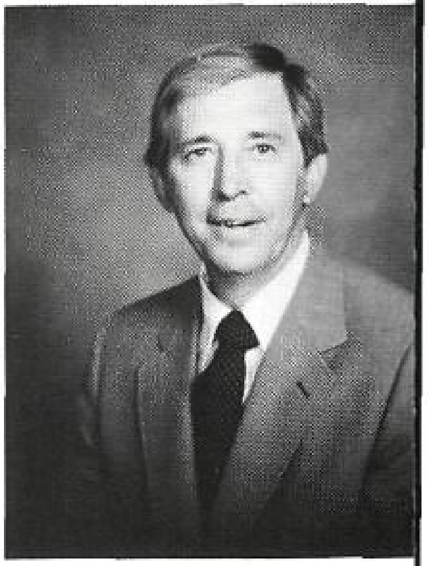
Mr. Harry Gill, Jr. — *Girls' Basketball Coach, Golf Coach, S Club Sponsor, Athletic Director, Driver Education*

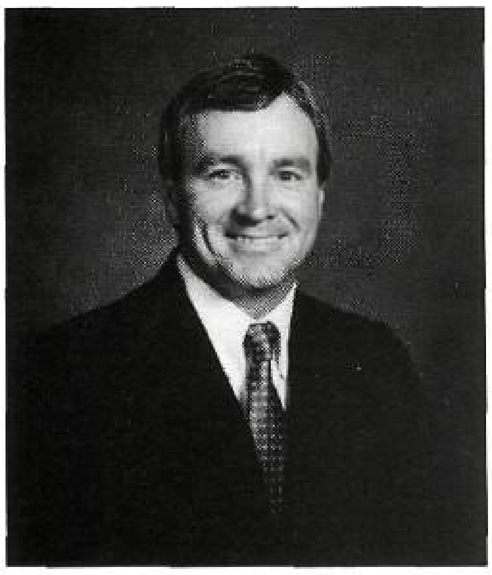
Mr. Jim B. Gonzales — *Industrial Arts, AIASA Sponsor*

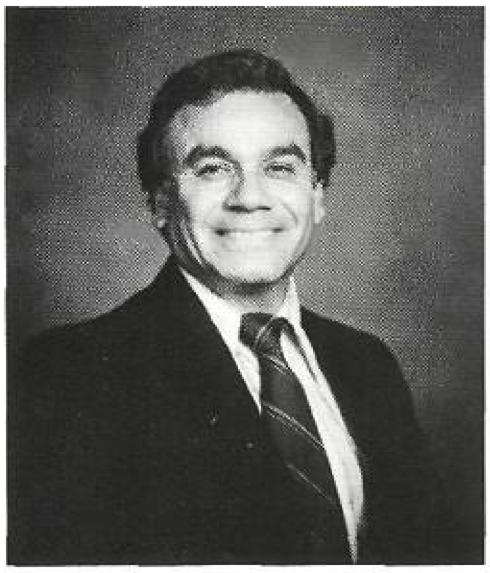
Mrs. Janet Greever — *Typing I, General Business*





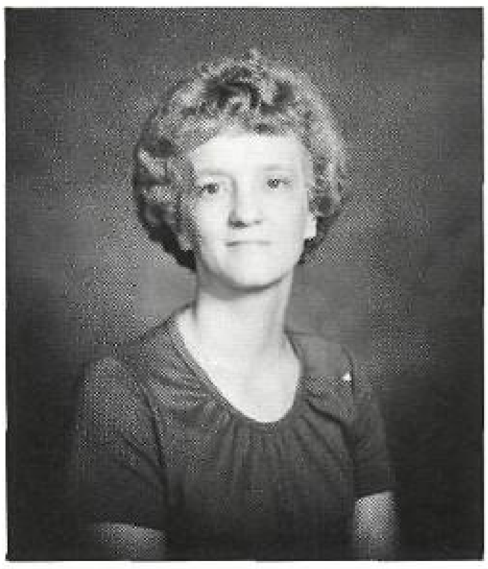


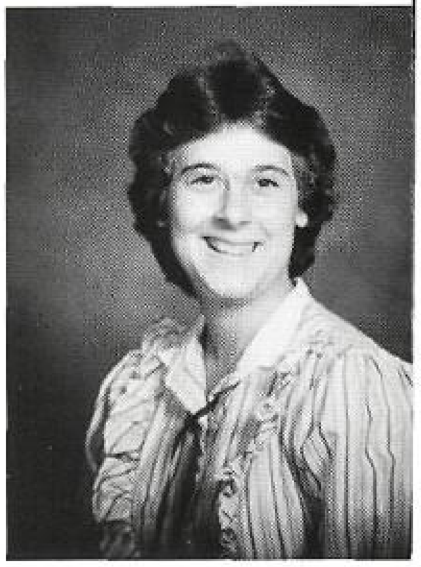


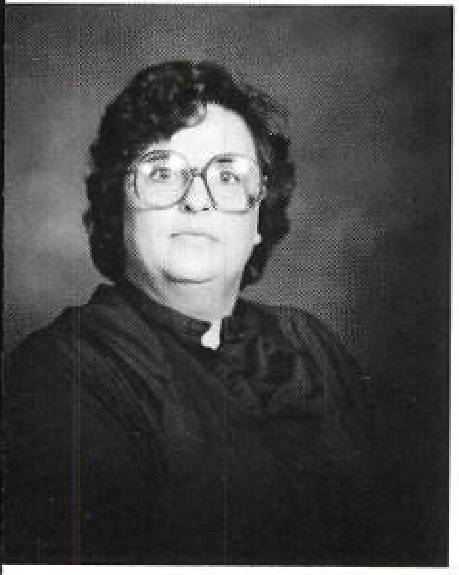


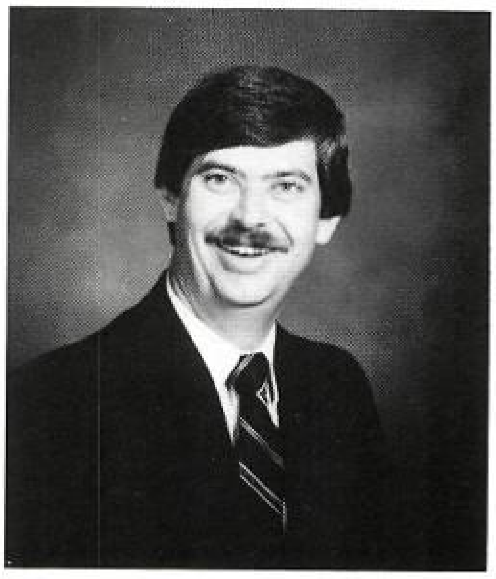
Mrs. Nancy Hendrix — *Geometry, Pre-Algebra, Algebra I*

Mrs. Kelley Hockenberry — *Accounting I, Business Math, General Business, Typing I*



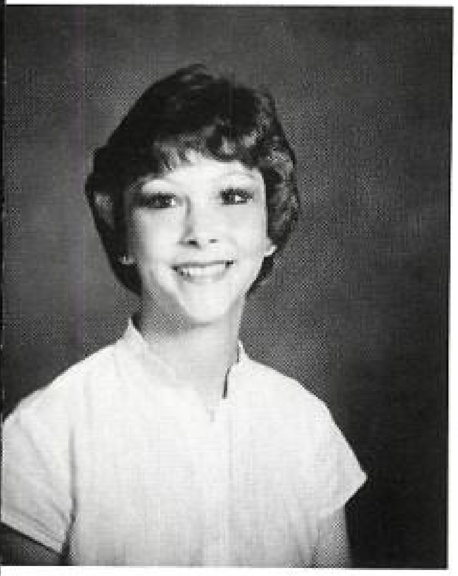


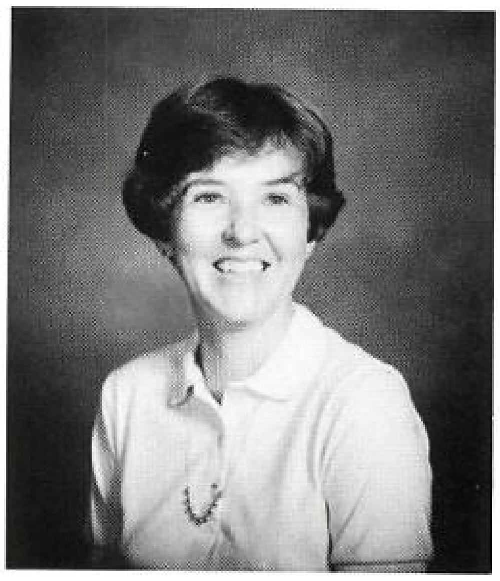




Mrs. Sandra R. Hoover — French I and II, Spanish II, French Club Sponsor, French Honor Society Sponsor

Mr. Steve James — Drafting I, II, and III, VICA Club Sponsor





Mrs. Donna Jarnagin — Sophomore English, Beta Epsilon Sponsor

Mrs. Nancy C. Keese — Geometry, Algebra II, Trigonometry, Advanced Math, Computer Math, Mu Alpha Theta Sponsor

Miss Carol Lallone — Sophomore and Junior English, Drama Club Sponsor

A Welcome Addition

Mrs. Jarnagin grew up in Memphis, Tennessee, and attended college at Liberty Baptist College in Virginia. She began teaching at S.H.S. in the middle of the 1982-83 school year, a situation she said was somewhat difficult to adjust to.

Mrs. Jarnagin's favorite aspect of teaching is the students. She feels that a student's knowledge of the English language is vital to his future. Mrs. Jarnagin has become adviser for Beta Epsilon, the English honor society. She is curious to see what talents each individual member possesses. She said, "The best thing about this club is that I know the members enjoy English and I can relate to them."

Mrs. Jarnagin is married to Mr. John Jarnagin, who is working on his master's degree and is a graduate assistant baseball coach. A hobby that Mrs. Jarnagin enjoys is cross-stitching.

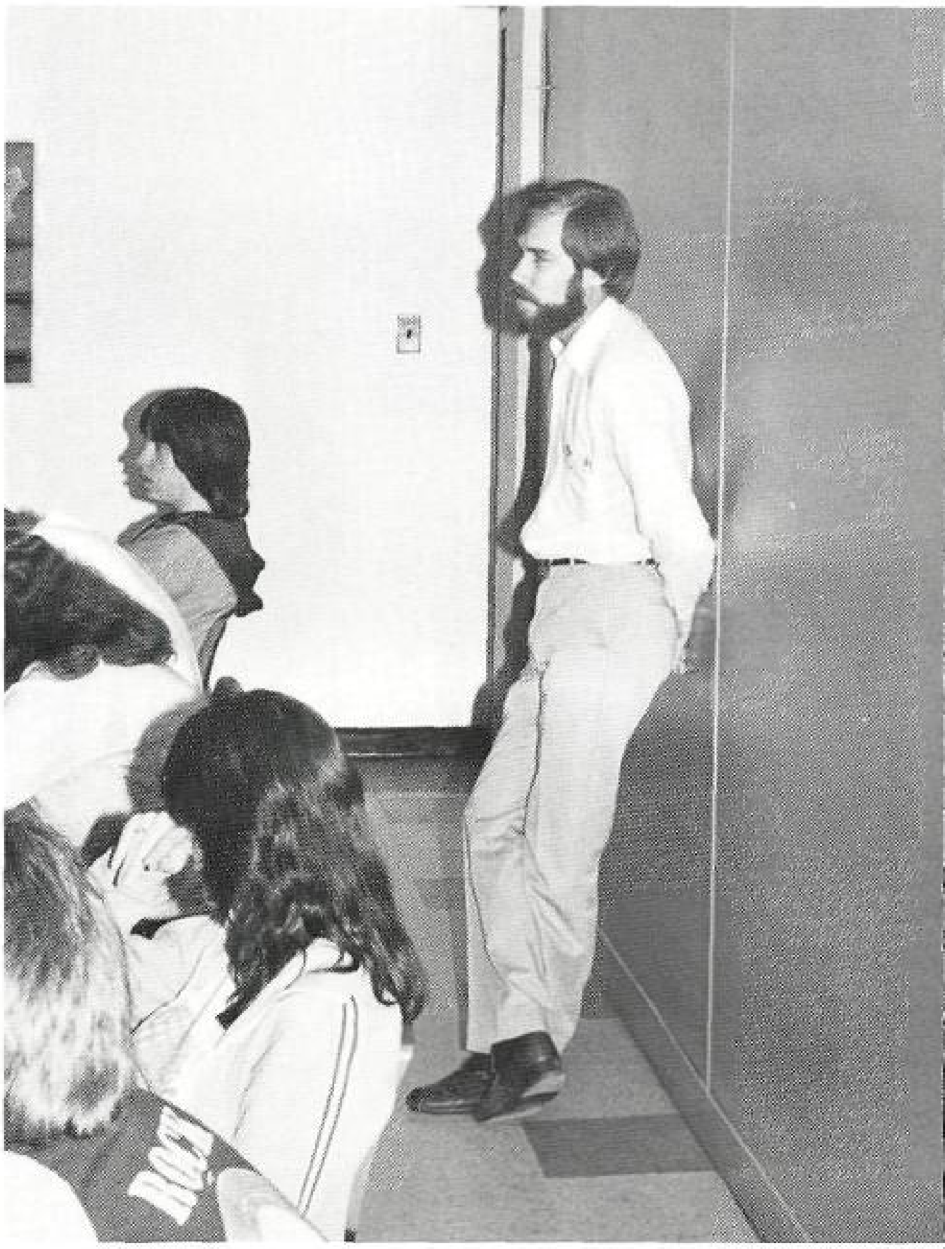
A Decade Of Dedication

Mr. Beasley is in his tenth year of teaching at S.H.S. The subjects he teaches are American history and U.S. government. Mr. Beasley enjoys going into the classroom with an expectation of reaching at least one person and sparking an interest in education. He believes that it is important to make American history come "alive" and to awaken his government students to the importance of their roles as citizens.

Mr. Beasley serves as chief negotiator of the Rutherford Education Association. He and the other team members are charged with the responsibility of negotiating on behalf of the R.E.A.'s 648 members. The negotiating team tries to represent the views and goals of teachers and principals of the county school system. In addition to these duties, Mr. Beasley also attends conferences, workshops, and conventions regarding negotiations. In the past, Mr. Beasley has served as president of R.E.A., serving as spokesman and trying to implement programs that would help the members. He is president-elect of M.T.E.A. in 1983-84.

Mr. Beasley attended Memphis State University one year and M.T.S.U. for three years. His major was American history, and he minored in English and education. He received his B.S. degree in 1973. His hobbies and after-school activities are reading, working in the yard, golfing, playing with his young son Thomas, and working with R.E.A. He is the sponsor of the Key Club, which he hopes to make into a more forceful agent in the school and community.

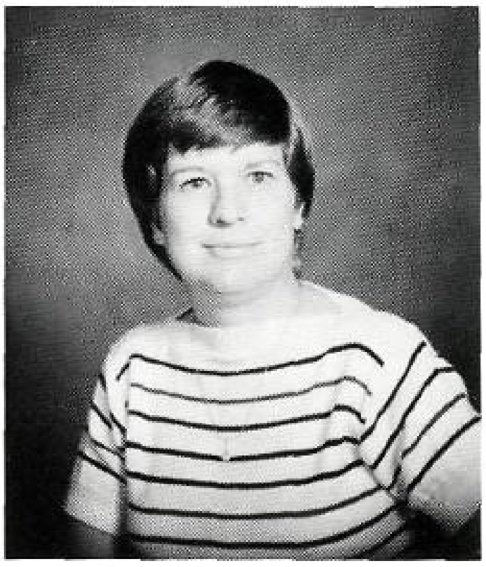
When asked what interests him most about American history, Mr. Beasley responded: "I think it is because ours is a history of people trying to make a better society. It is in this very fitful process of improving the society and conditions for us that attracts me. Despite our shortcomings, we seem to have moved further than anyone else in this endeavor, and that's something to be proud about and something we want to continue."

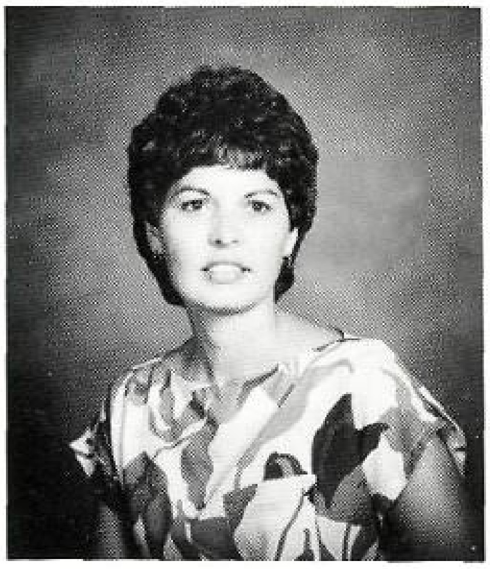


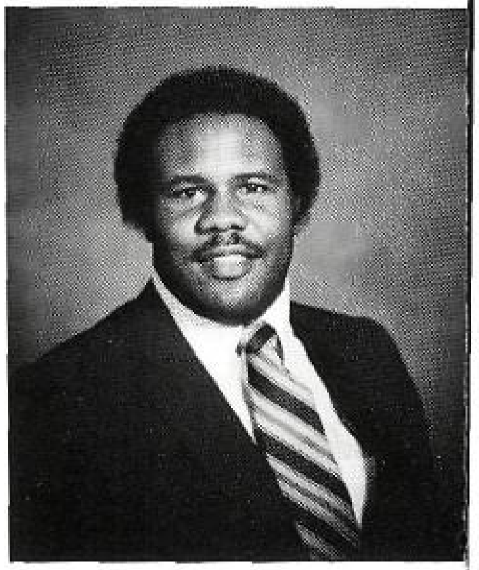
Miss Jeanne LeDoux — *Junior and Senior English, Girls' Tennis Coach*

Mrs. Kathy Liles — *Algebra I and II, Trigonometry, Advanced Math, Mu Alpha Theta Sponsor*

Mr. Leo Martin — *Business Math, General Business, Assistant Football and Boys' Basketball Coach*

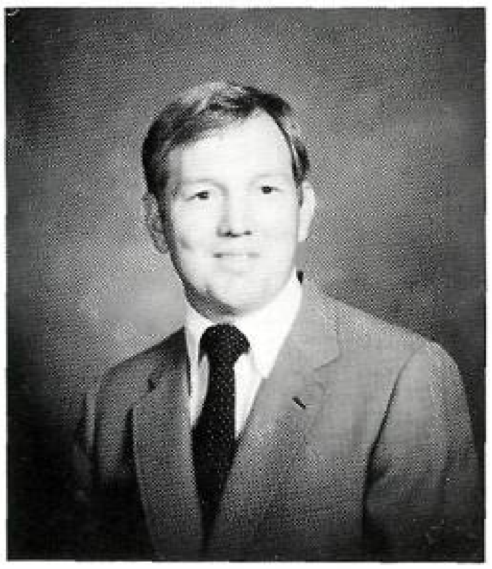


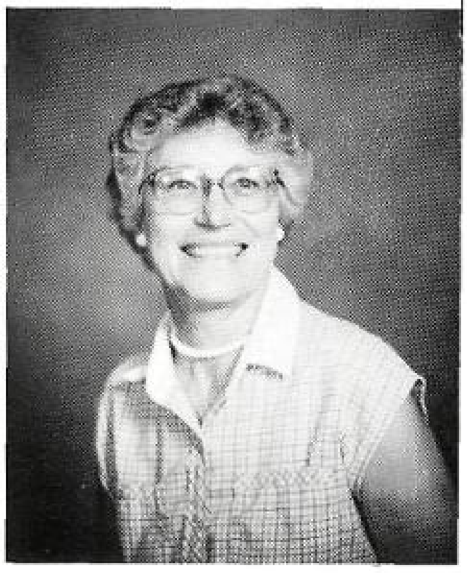




Mr. Harry McAnally — *Psychology, Sociology, FCA Sponsor, Assistant Football Coach*

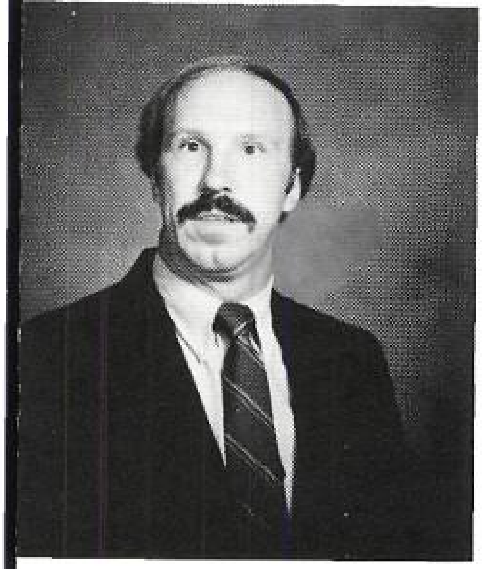
Mrs. Ruth V. McMillan — *Typing I and II*

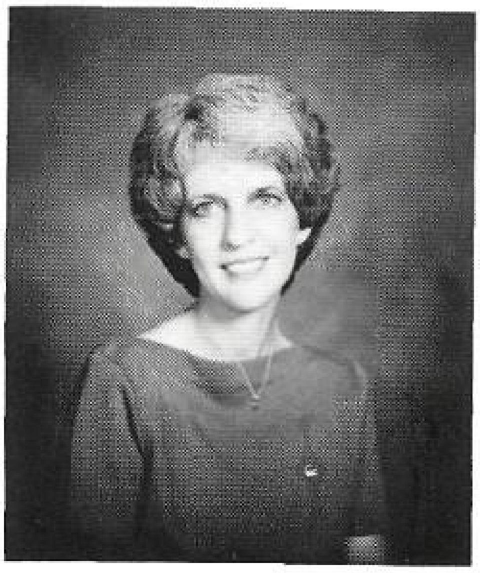


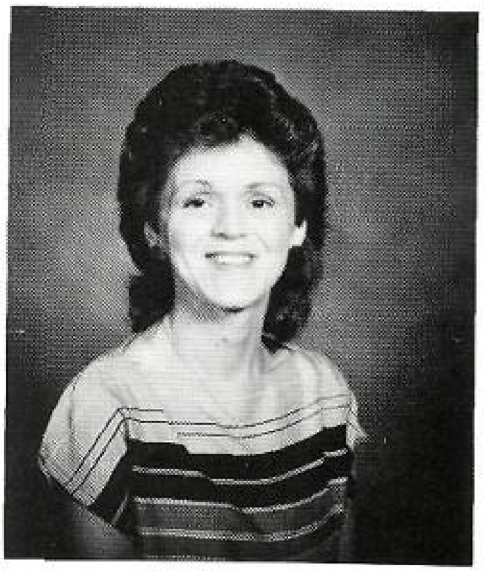


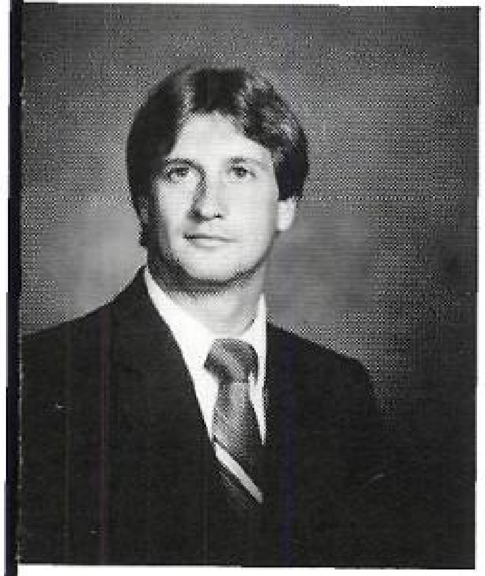
Mr. William F. McPeak — *American History, Student Council Sponsor*

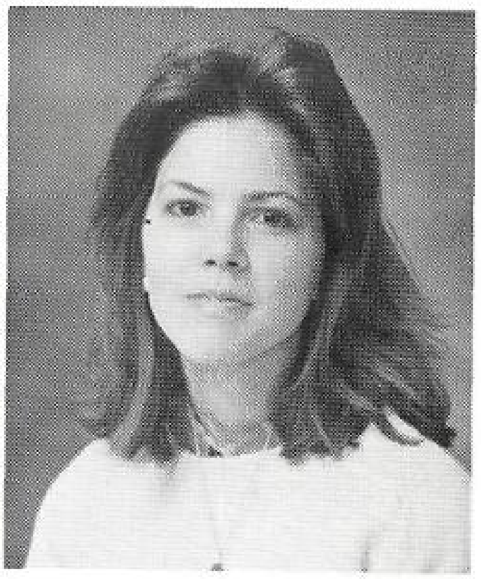
Mrs. Sue Messick — *VOE I, VOE II, Introduction to VOE, OEA-TOEC Sponsor*











Mr. Gary Miller — *Driver Education, Boys' Basketball Coach*

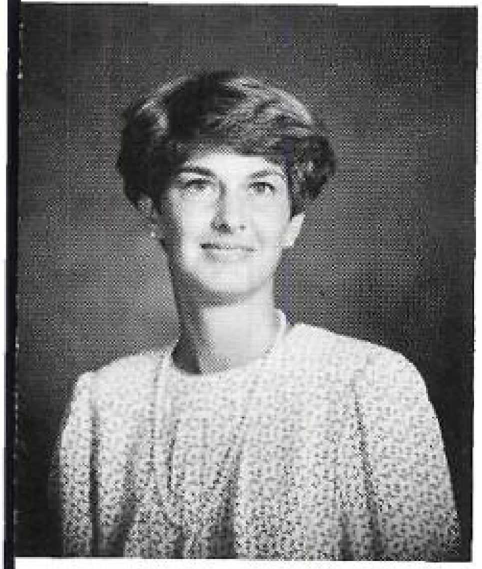
Mrs. Martha C. Millsaps — *Junior English, Latin I and II,* ***Gold Dust*** *Adviser,* ***Bulldog Bark*** *Adviser, Journalism*

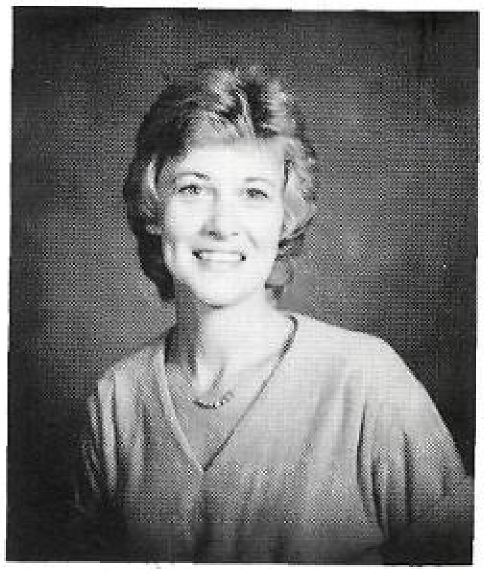
Mrs. Pat Moore — *Shorthand, Typing I, Introduction to VOE, Applied Math*

Mr. Bobby Mullins — *Physical Education, Pep Club Sponsor, S Club Sponsor, Assistant Girls' Basketball Coach, Baseball Coach*

Mrs. Cynthia L. Naron — *Band and Choir*

Mrs. Sandra Pineault — *American History, 4-H Club Sponsor*





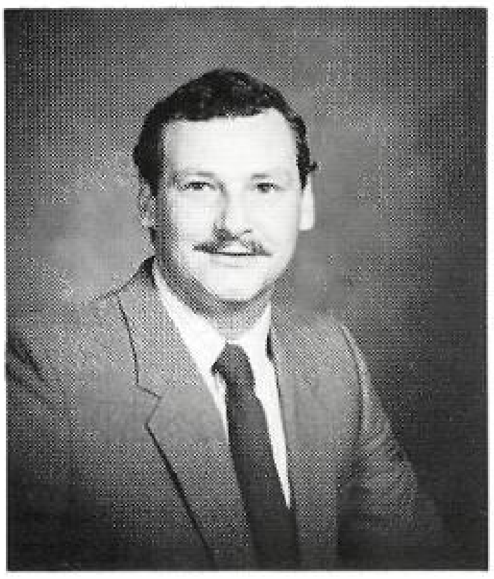
Mrs. Lee Polk — *Economics, Interact Club Sponsor*

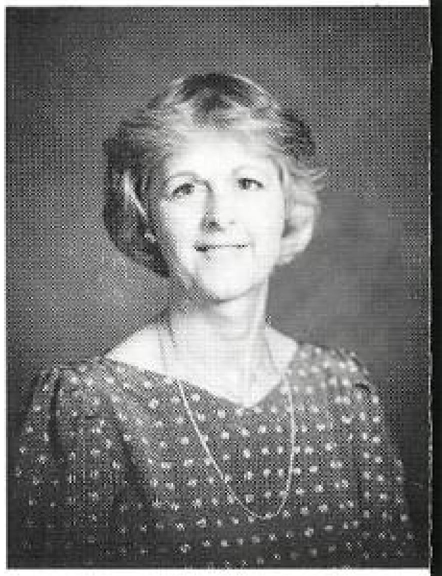
Mrs. Sherry G. Price — *Senior English, Beta Club Sponsor*

John
I hope you
continue to work
as hard as you have
this year in everything
you do in the future.
You have shown
me leadership and a
desire to improve musically.
Good luck in everything
you pursue. For sure I
will never forget John
Vizard. Hayray!
Mrs. Naron

Mr. Steven D. Racht — *Machine Shop I and II*

Mrs. Margaret Raikes — *Secretary*

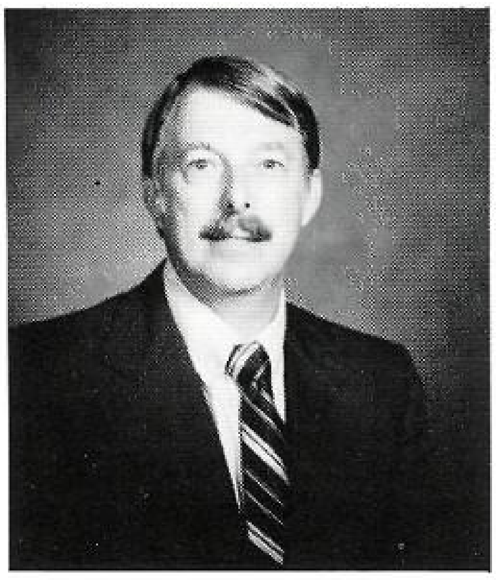


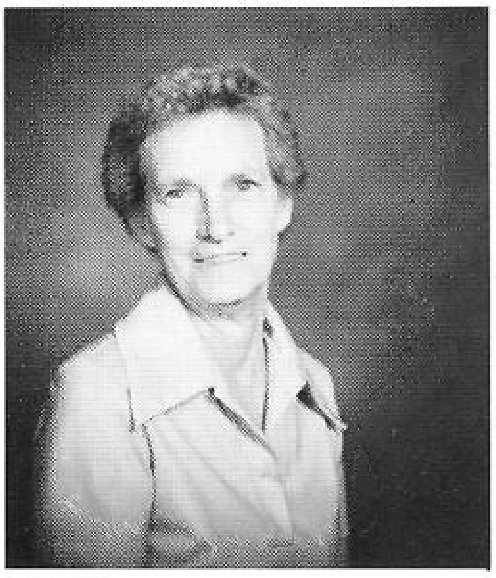


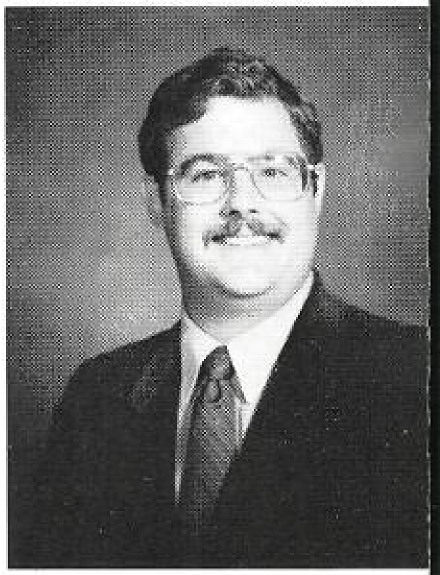
Mr. David C. Ralston — *Cooperative Education, VICA Club Sponsor*

Mrs. Clyde Richards — *Chemistry, Physics, Science Club Sponsor*

Mr. Michael T. Royal — *Beginning Band, Concert Band, Symphonic Band, "The Pride of Smyrna" Marching Band, Pep Band, Jazz Band, Auxiliary Corps*







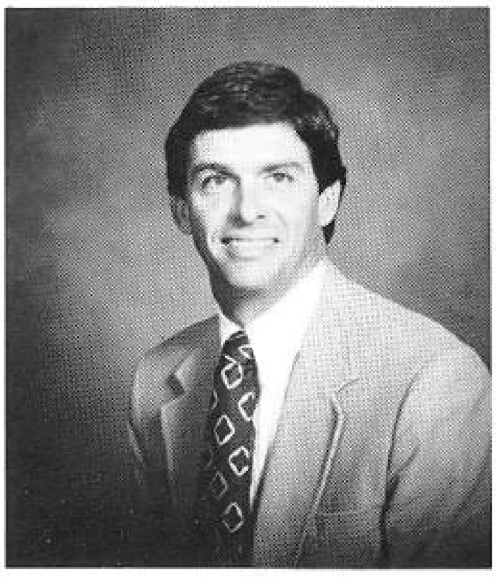
A Man For All Seasons

Mr. Miller, a very busy man, has been working at Smyrna High School for seventeen years. His various jobs include scheduling, discipline, keeping up with attendance records and absentee notes, doing repairs at school, loading vending machines, and opening the school at 7:00 a.m. sharp.

When questioned on the topic of working with students. Mr. Miller replied, "I enjoy it a lot. If I didn't enjoy it, I wouldn't be doing it." He commented that the students haven't really changed much, that there are always going to be good, average, and bad students. The one thing that does change is the faces.

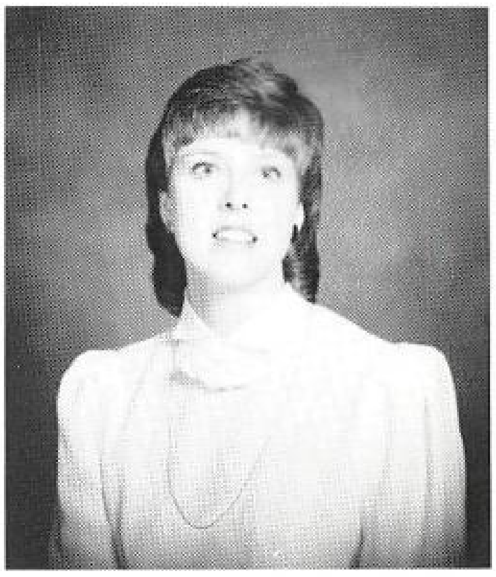
Mr. Miller attended M.T.S.U. and majored in history and secondary school administration. Mr. Miller is a very family oriented man. He enjoys doing things with his children. He coaches little league and junior pro football and enjoys all sports. He has not missed a Smyrna football game in five years.

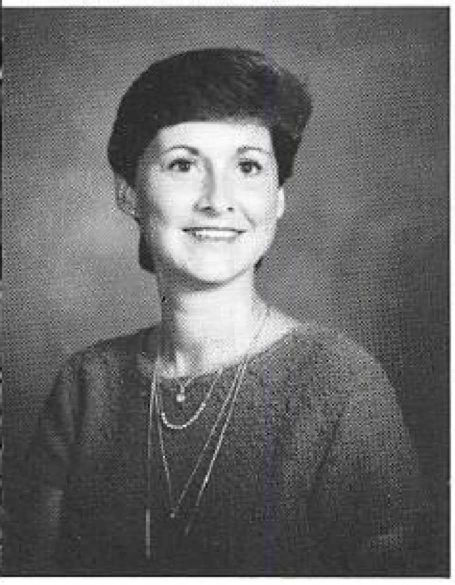
One of the aspects of Mr. Miller's personality for which he is most noted is his great sense of humor. We on the **Gold Dust** *staff greatly appreciate his sense of humor and the deep support and encouragement he gives us. We know this school and the students would be lost without the guidance and determination of this* **Twenty-Four Carat Gold** *man.*

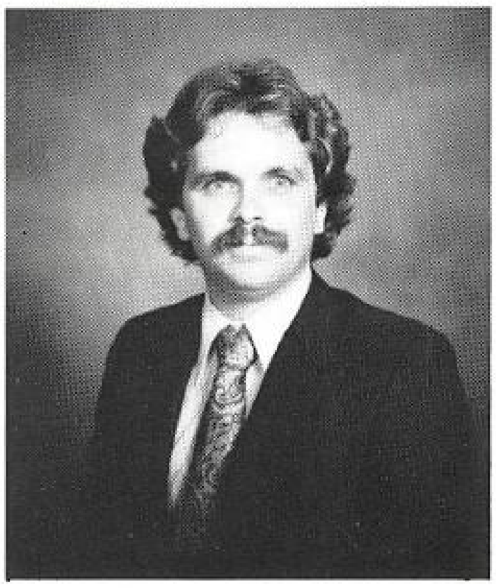


Mrs. Melinda D. Russell — *Sophomore English, World History, Cheerleading Sponsor*

Mr. Duke Shackelford — *Driver Education, Head Football Coach*







Col. Roy D. Sims — *ROTC, Rangers, Orienteering, Color Guard*

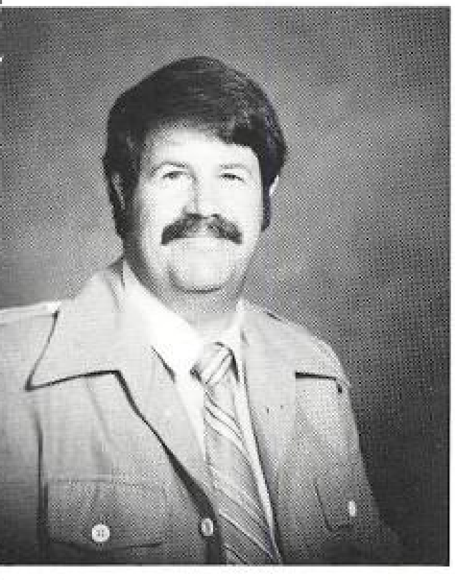
Mrs. Vicky B. Smith — *Junior English, Beta Club Sponsor*

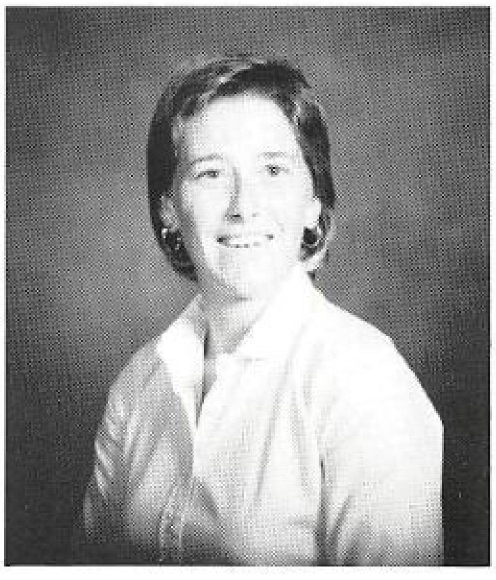
Mrs. Patricia Smithson — *Consumer and Homemaking, FHA-Hero Sponsor*

Mrs. R. Jan Stauffer — *Senior English*

Mr. Terry C.B. Thomas — *General Building and Trades*

Mrs. Maxine Thompson — *Bookkeeper*

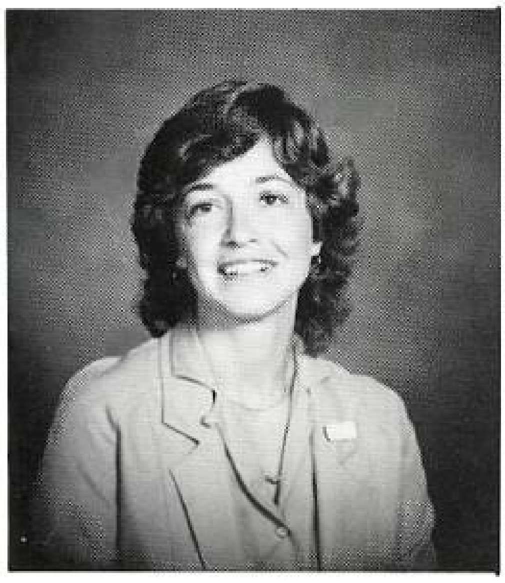


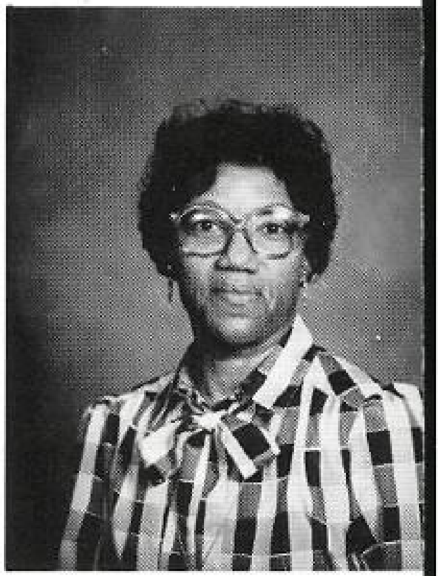


Mr. Robert W. Tucker, Jr. — *Auto Mechanics I and II, Auto Body I and II, VICA Sponsor*

Miss Carolyn S. Turner — *Health, Physical Education, Softball Coach, Volleyball Coach*

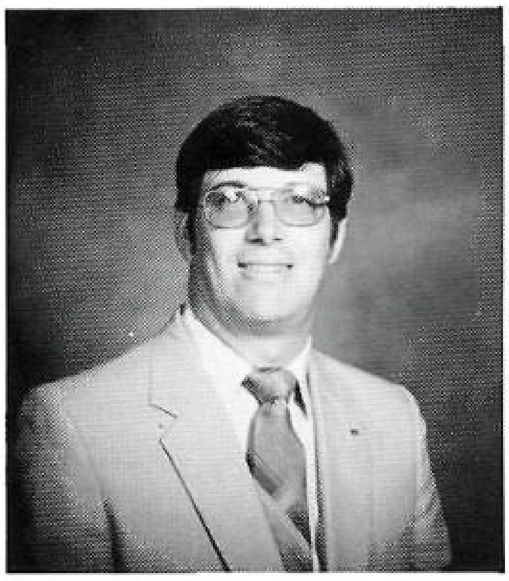
Larry,
or John,
I know
you by Larry -
I heard you singing the
other day - and you are good!
Keep working hard + you'll
make it big. Best of luck
Keep your big happy
face + you do
just fine
God Bless -
Mc Dunn

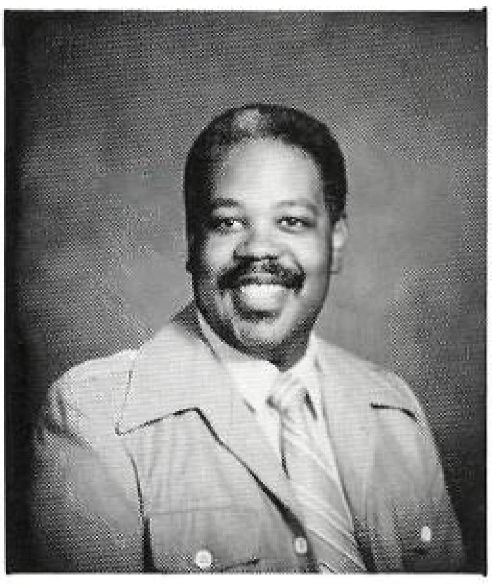




Mrs. K. F. Warren *— Sophomore and Junior English*

Mrs. Tony Webb, Jr. *— Biology, Science Club Sponsor, S.T.E.P. Club Sponsor*





Mr. Marvin Whitworth *— Agriculture I, II, and III, Horticulture, FFA Sponsor*

Mr. Al Wilkerson *— World History, Geography*

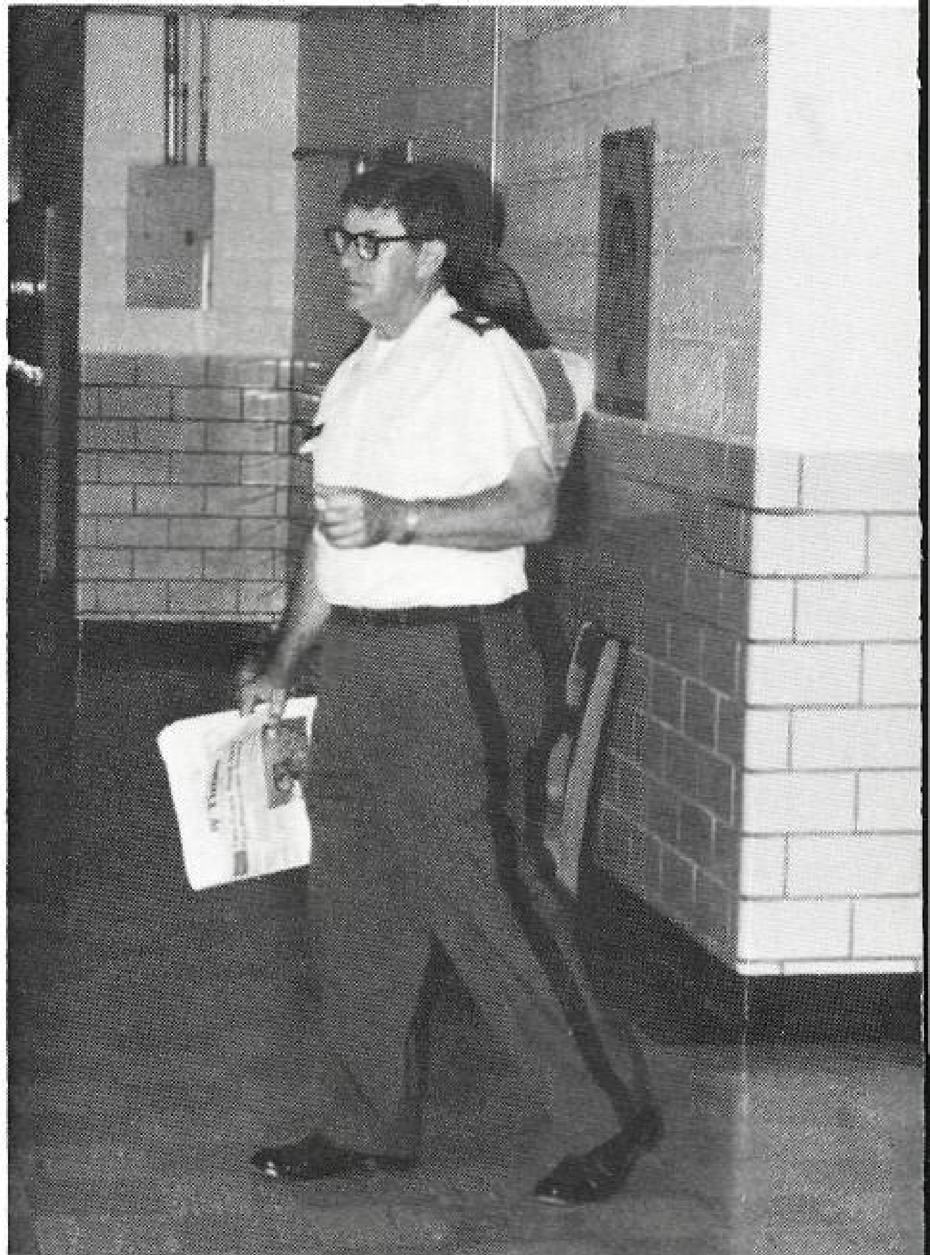
Mrs. Cheryle Womack *— Economics, Business Law*

We Salute You

Colonel Sims is in his eighth year of teaching at Smyrna High School. He is the very dedicated teacher of the R.O.T.C. class.

Prior to teaching at S.H.S., Colonel Sims taught at Eastern Kentucky University and in the military. He was in the army for twenty-three years. His work with R.O.T.C. includes performing many demonstrations and placing an emphasis on drills. His goal for R.O.T.C. is to make S.H.S.'s unit the best unit in the state and country.

Colonel Sims' hobbies include woodwork, plants, flowers, and gardening. He enjoys working with the young people of Smyrna High School. He considers his most difficult challenge to be the motivation of young people.



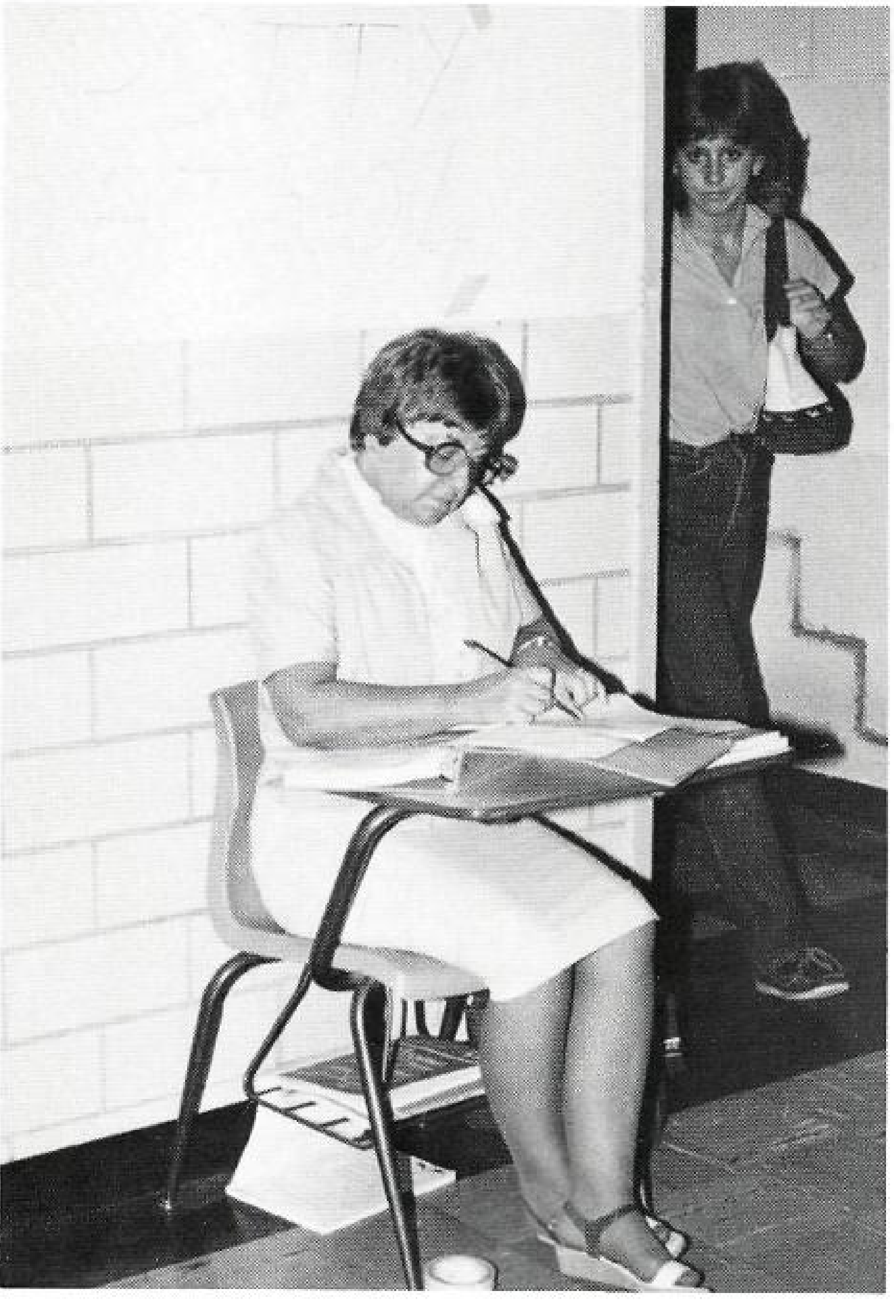
Cafeteria Workers

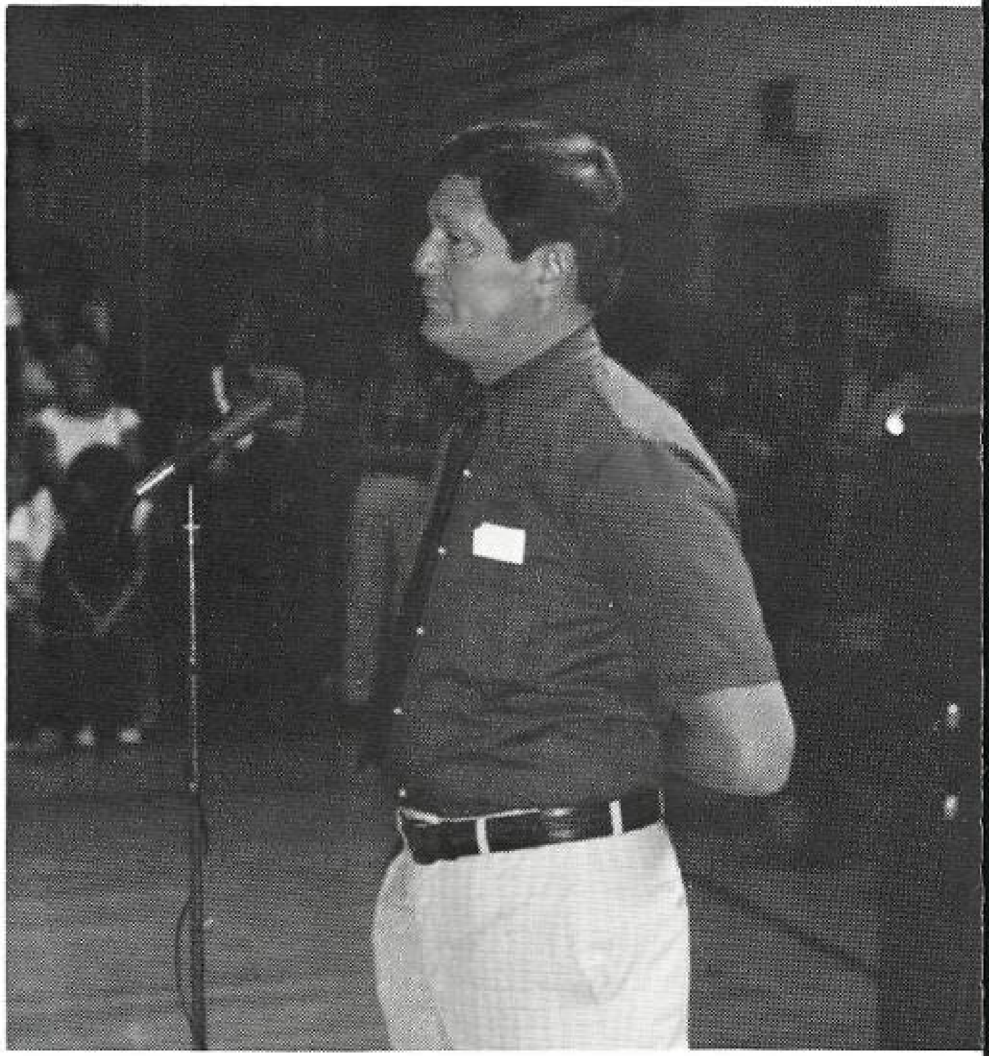
Mildred Wood, Earsie Meadors, Gale Wood, Pearl Toombs, Opal Bissinger, Ann Fitzpatrick, Pat Gibbons

Custodians

Mrs. Odessa Thomas, Mrs. Louise Daniels, Marshall Alston

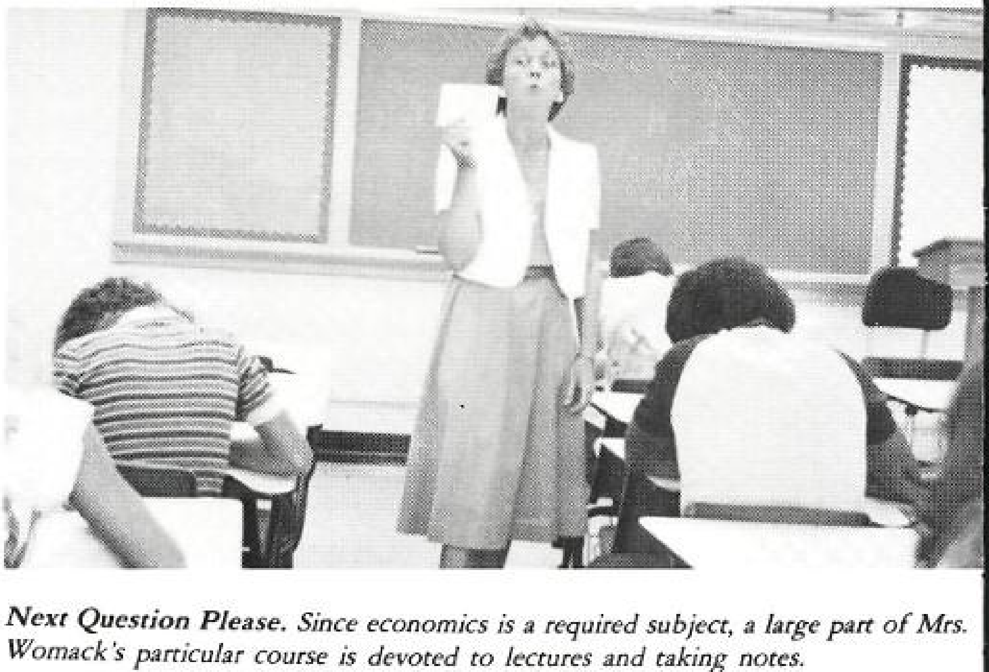
Candy Is Not Always Sweet. *A tedious job for sophomore sponsors is counting the candy sales money. Mrs. Hockenberry checks to make sure all is accounted for.*



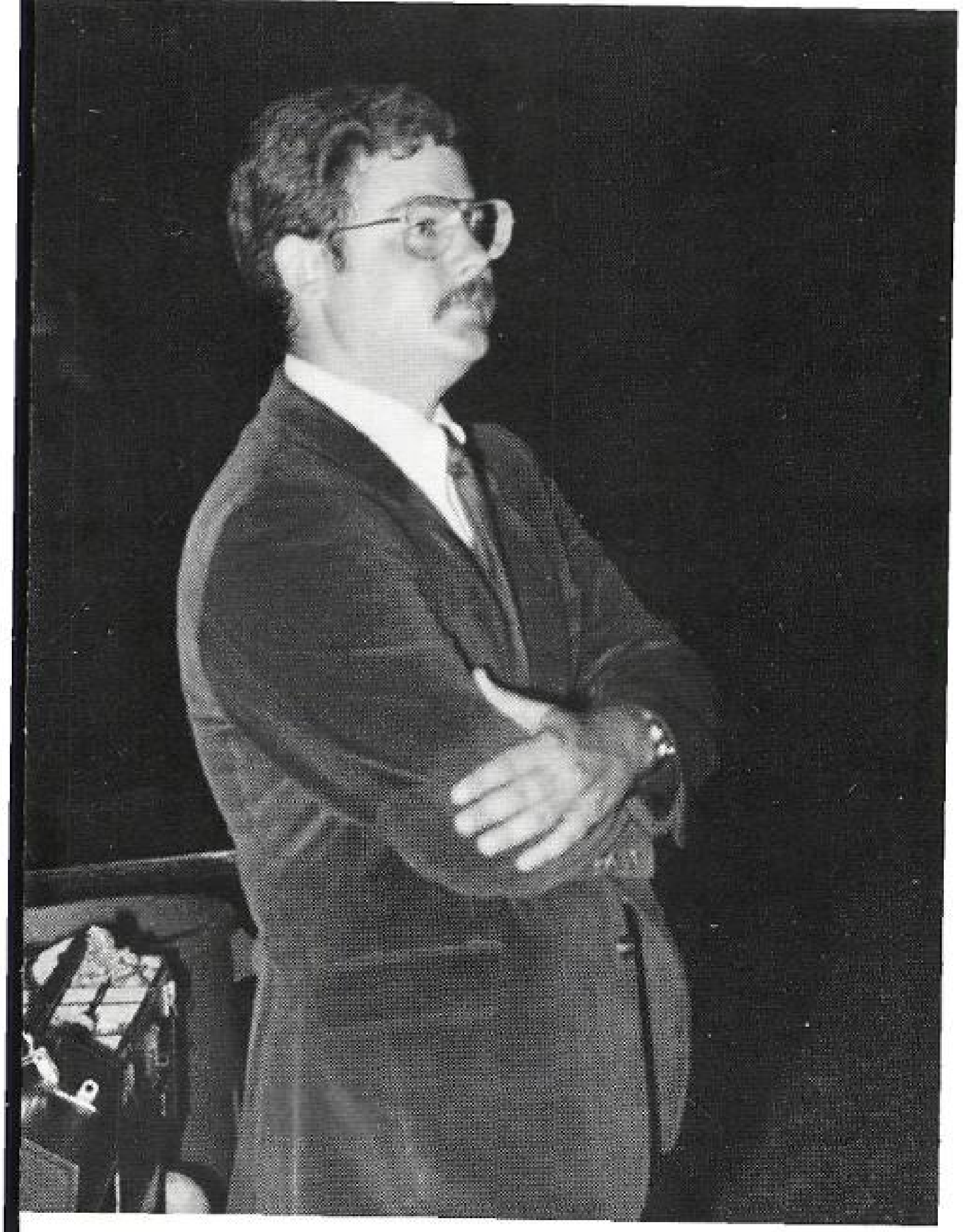


A Moment Alone. *A number of teachers at S.H.S. are assigned to watch the bathrooms during one period. Mrs. Campbell combines work with wit when she is on duty.*

A Patient Principal. *During the year, the student body has many pep rallies. Mr. Raikes waits patiently to address the students and encourage support for the team.*



Next Question Please. *Since economics is a required subject, a large part of Mrs. Womack's particular course is devoted to lectures and taking notes.*



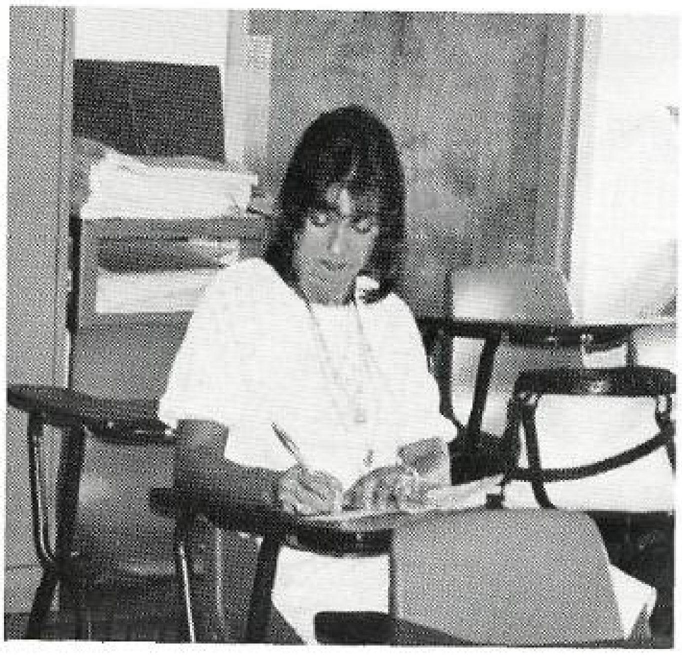
Strike up the Band

Mr. Mike Royal, our new band director, graduated from M.T.S.U. with a B.M. degree. He plays the banjo as well as the trumpet. Prior to teaching at Smyrna High School, he was at Pike High School in Indianapolis, Indiana, for two years where he taught varsity band, symphonic band, and music theory and sponsored the dance band, jazz band, winter guard, and pep band. He believes that the attitude of the S.H.S. band students has made the transition easier for him. Mr. Royal believes that strict discipline and giving student leaders as much control as possible is important.

Mr. Royal said that the most enjoyable aspect of teaching for him is to see students' dreamed accomplishments come true through hard work. The most challenging aspect of his job is "helping to develop the basic fundamentals in his students, whether it be marching or playing."

Mr. Royal has both short and long term goals for the band. Short term goals include establishing a good basic block to grow on. Mr. Royal commented, "We have laid down the groundwork for a successful program. Attitude and hard work are the keys to making it work. This year we hope to develop a great pep band, begin a jazz program, and look into possibilities of a winter guard."

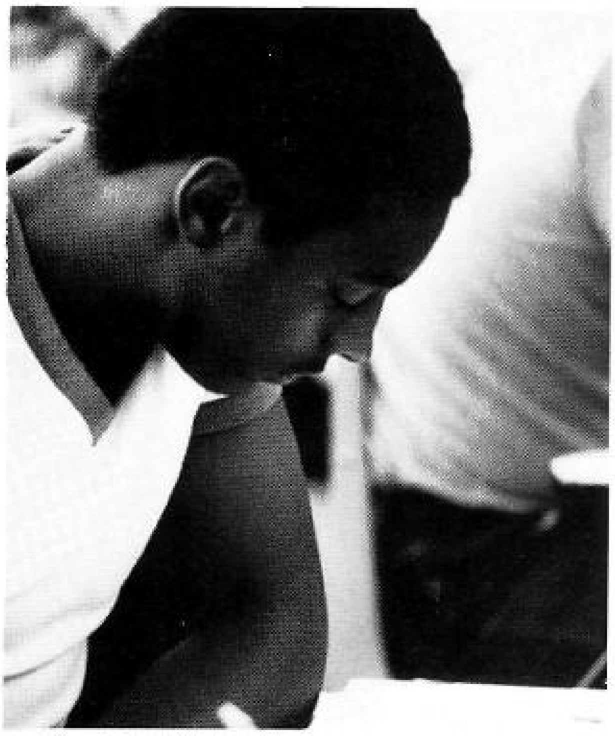
On the subject of long term goals, Mr. Royal stated, "Long term goals — well, Smyrna has the potential to be one of the best band programs in the state! This won't happen overnight, but it is happening. Prepare to see a major change in the next five years."



Away From the Classroom. *Teachers catch up on last minute work in the gym before a pep rally begins.*

Peace and Quiet at Last. *Planning periods are frequently used by teachers for grading papers. While enjoying a moment alone, Mrs. Brogli finishes some last minute tests.*

An Anxious First Day. *All students must register at the beginning of the school year. Mrs. Russell offers her assistance to a student filling out a registration card.*



The classes section of our yearbook includes the seniors, juniors, and sophomores who make up Smyrna High School. This section includes articles about the special activities of each individual class. The school-related activities of the graduating senior class are listed in the senior directory. This year sections of the directory have been printed on the sides of each senior page.

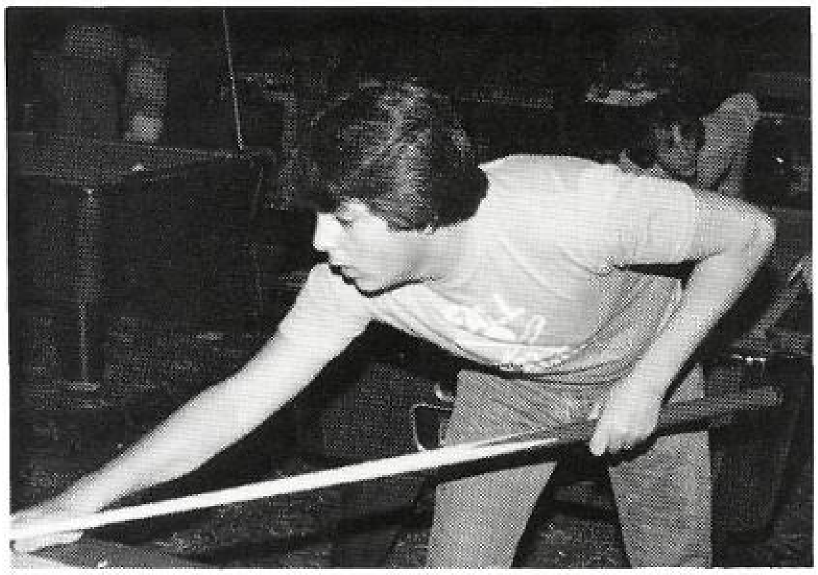
A Hard Working Student. *Although school is filled with fun and good times, it also provides a time for studying and learning. Jack Hollins shows determination as he hurries to complete an assignment in class.*
Showing Appreciation. *Every year Beta Epsilon does something special for the English teachers at S.H.S. This year they prepared trays of home-made goods for each teacher. Here, Paige Step divides the goodies and prepares them for delivery.*

CLASSES

New Prospects. *Before invitations are given to prospective members of a club, their records are thoroughly reviewed. Here Brad Miller, Doug Loux, and Jeff Key check grades to confirm the eligibility of future Mu Alpha Theta members.*

Setting up for the Game. *Preparing beforehand is one of the many jobs that the football managers are responsible for. Mike Cook and Roy Aldridge are kept busy carrying the water cooler and other necessary supplies for the upcoming game.*

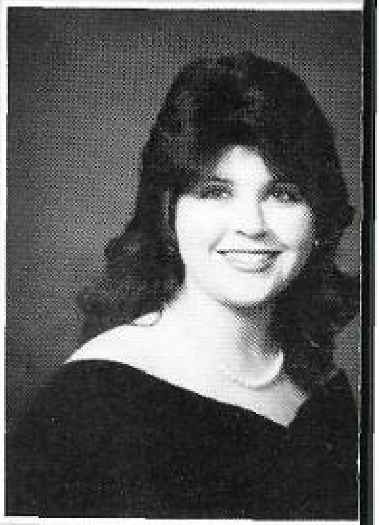
Exciting Experience. *Riding in the homecoming parade is one of the many exciting events that the Homecoming attendants experience. Chosen as sophomore attendant, Monica Scott smiles while riding on the back of a beautiful 1983 Camaro.*

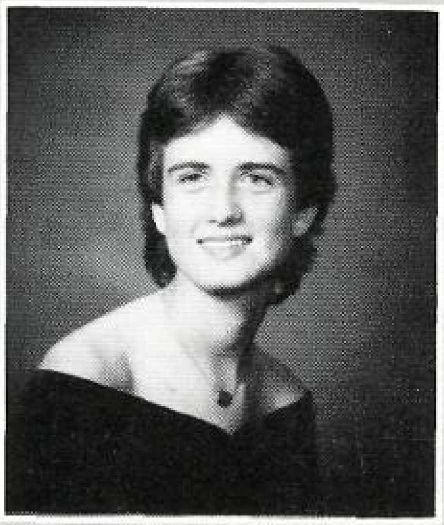


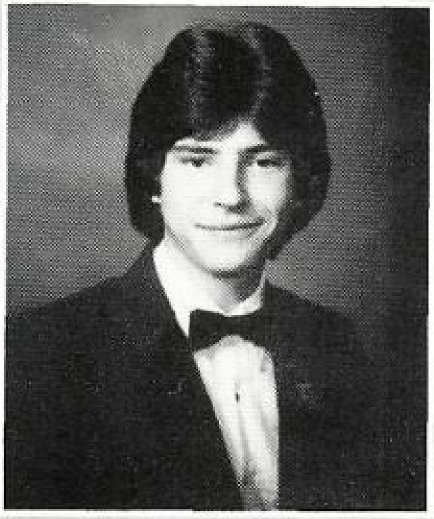
Setting up for a Game Winning Shot. *Scott Comer concentrates on his next shot while shooting pool on a Friday night. Going to game rooms and playing pool is a popular pastime with our students.*

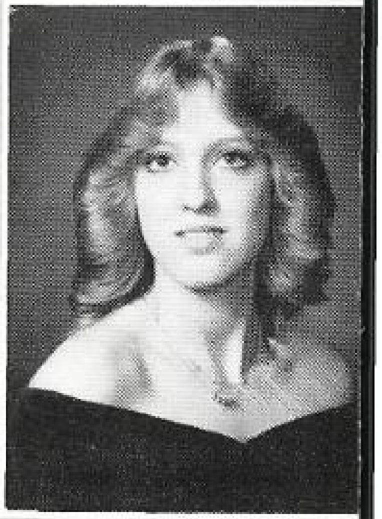
Adams, Lori Lynne. ROTC 10, Chorus 11.
Adams, Marsha Lynn. Pep Club 10-12, Chorus 11, OEA-TOEC 11, Volleyball 11, FCA 11, FHA-HERO 12, Shipp's Crew 12.
Adcock, Stacy. FFA 11-12.
Akins, Cheri Lyn.
Aldridge, LeeAnne Carol. Pep Club 10-12, FHA-HERO 10-12, Beta Club 11-12, OEA-TOEC 12, Who's Who Among American High School Students, ROTC 10, Teacher's Aide 12.
Allen, Tracey Lee. Beta Club 10-12, Mu Alpha Theta 11-12, Marching Band 10-12, Pep Band 10-11, Concert Band 10-12, Computer Club 12.
Anderson, Cynthia Diane. Pep Club 10-12, Student Council 10, STEP Club 11-12, Interact 11-12, Beta Club 11-12, Softball 11, Mu Alpha Theta 12, VICA Treasurer 12.
Anderson, Karen Denise. Pep Club 10-12, STEP Club 11, Secretary 12; Shipp's Crew 12.
Arnold, Troy Jackson. Building and Trades 12, Transfer student from Oakland High School.
Ash, Jimmy Dale. VICA 11-12.

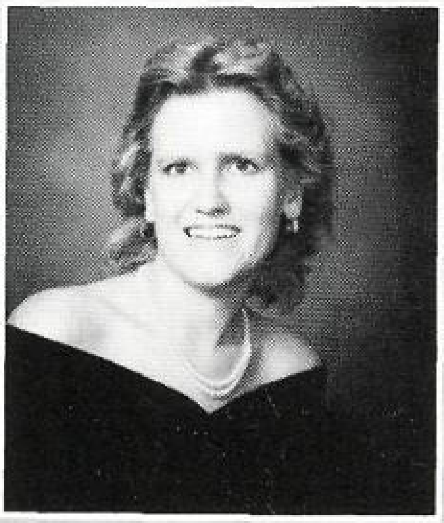
SENIORS

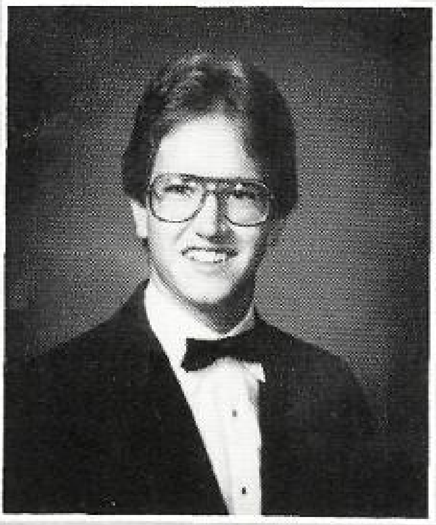

Lori Lynne Adams

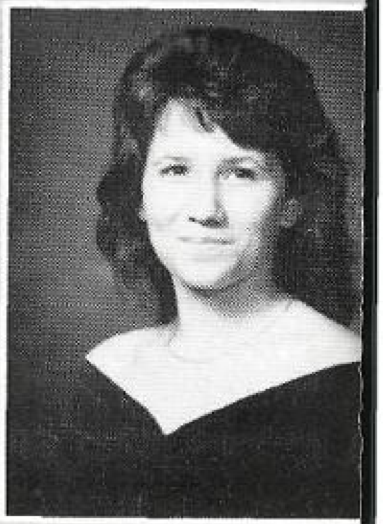

Marsha Lynn Adams

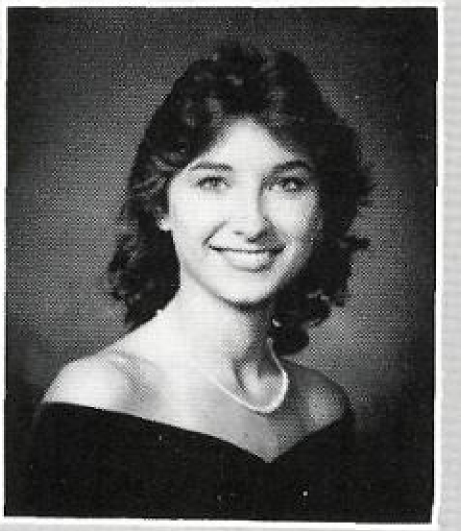

Stacy Adcock

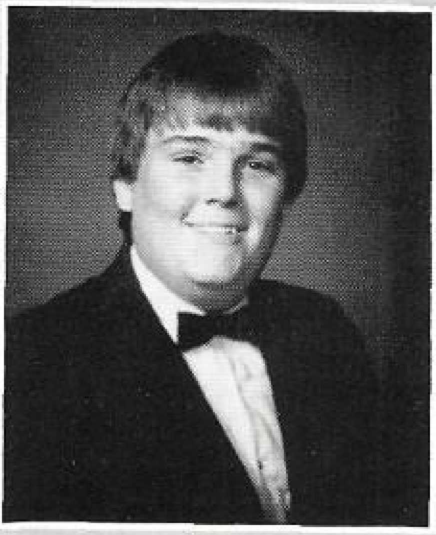

Cheri Lyn Akins

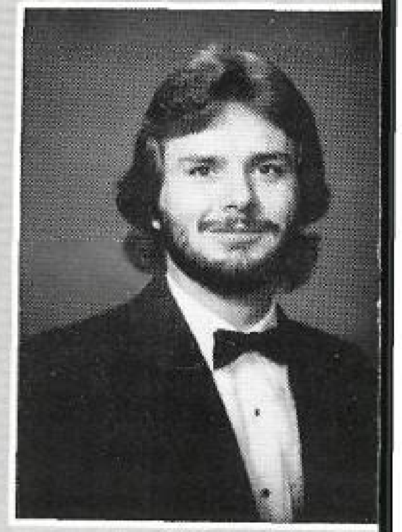

LeeAnne Carol Aldridge

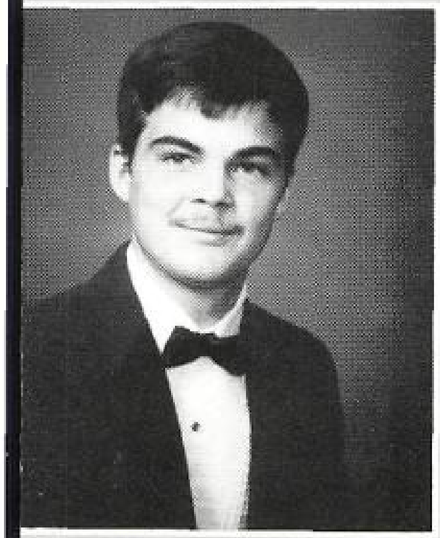

Tracey Lee Allen


Cynthia Diane Anderson


Karen Denise Anderson


Troy Jackson Arnold

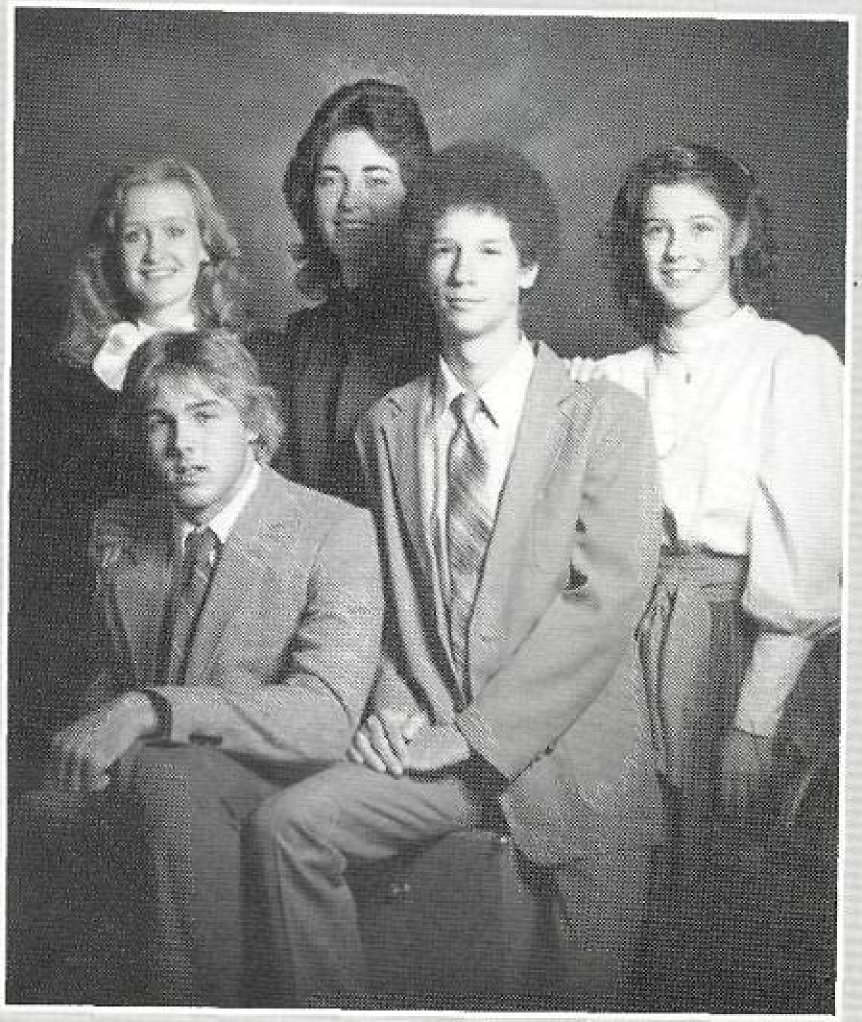

Jimmy Dale Ash

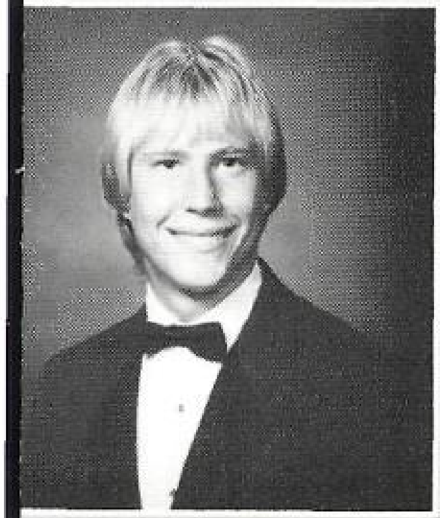


Curtis B. Ashton

Officers

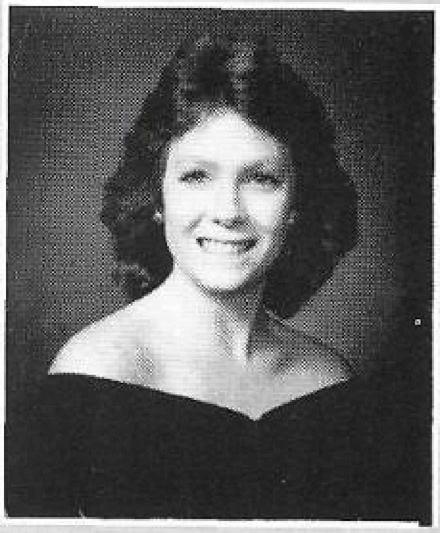
The senior class officers are Kristie Haynes, secretary; Bethany Wilson, treasurer; Sandi Johns, vice president; Ken Thomas, sergeant-at-arms; Barry Cartwright, president.



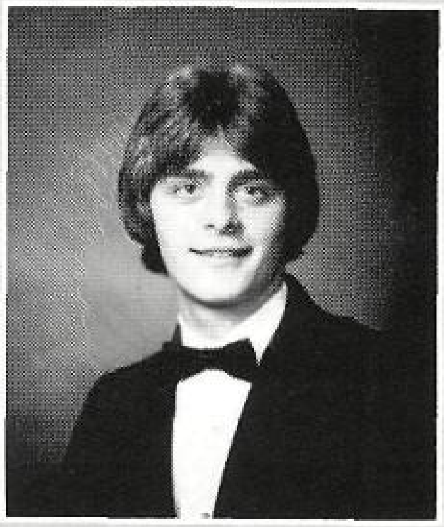


John Pervine Atwood Jr.

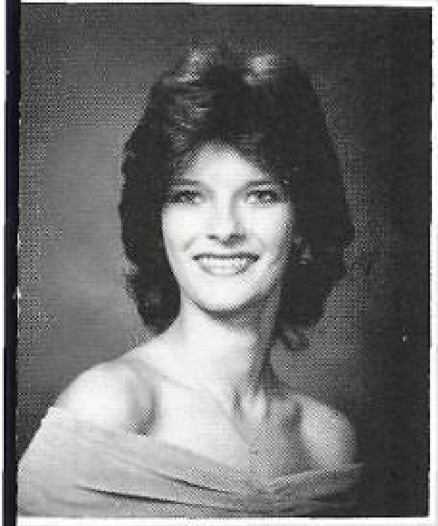
Jamie Michelle Baker



Elizabeth Lisa Bannister



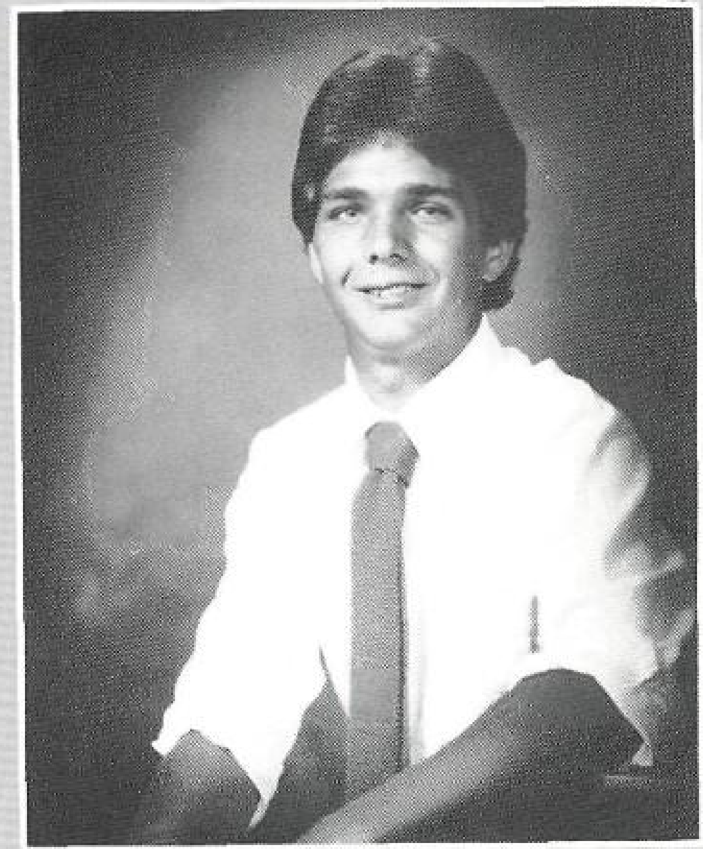
Dearyl Edward Barnes



Theresa Anne Barnes

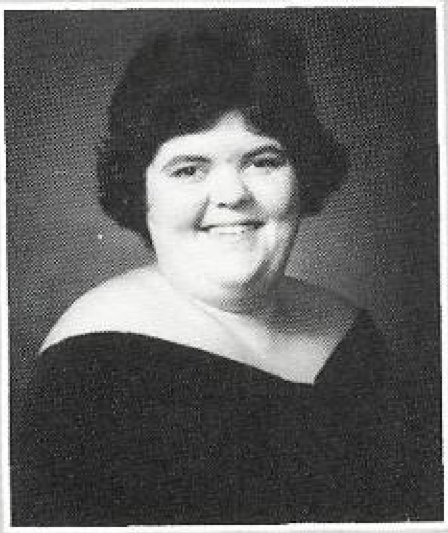
Ashton, Curtis B. *ROTC Rangers 10-12, ROTC Drill Team 10.* **Atwood, John Pervine Jr.** *Tennis 10, Science 10-11, Student Council 11-12, S Club 11, Interact 12, Art Club 12, Pep Club 12, Wittiest Boy.* **Baker, Jamie Michelle.** *OEA-TOEC12.* **Bannister, Elizabeth Lisa.** *Cross Country 10, STEP Club 10-12, Interact 11, Pep Club 10-12, Softball 11.* **Barnes, Dearyl Edward.** *Cross Country 10, Wrestling 11, VICA 12, Pep Club 10-11.* **Barnes, Theresa Anne.** *FHA-HERO10, 12; Pep Club 10-11, STEP Club 11.*

Barrett, Gale. *Transfer student from Holloway High School.*
Bean, Ronald Eugene.
Beasley, Sunji Michelle. *Pep Club 11, VICA 12.*
Bess, Kevin. *VICA 12.*
Bilyeu, Cynthia R.
Bogle, Quint Gordon. *Rifle Team 11-12.*
Boisvert, Francine Ann. *Pep Club 11-12, Science Club 12, STEP Club 11, Beta Club 11-12, Mu Alpha Theta 12, Computer Club 12, Rutherford County Spelling Bee Champion 11, Who's Who in Foreign Languages in Tennessee High Schools, Who's Who in Mid-American High Schools Foreign Languages,* ***Gold Dust*** *staff 12, Faces Editor 12;* ***Bulldog Bark*** *staff 12, 2nd place VFW Voice of Democracy essay contest.*

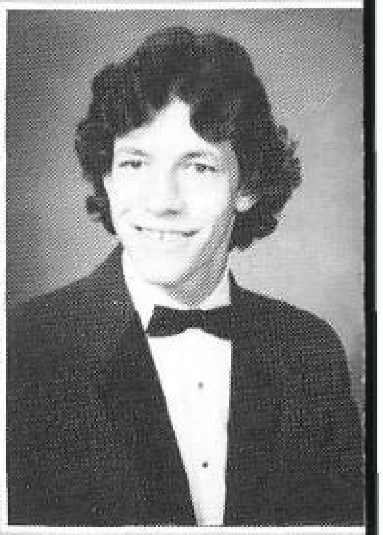


Valedictorian

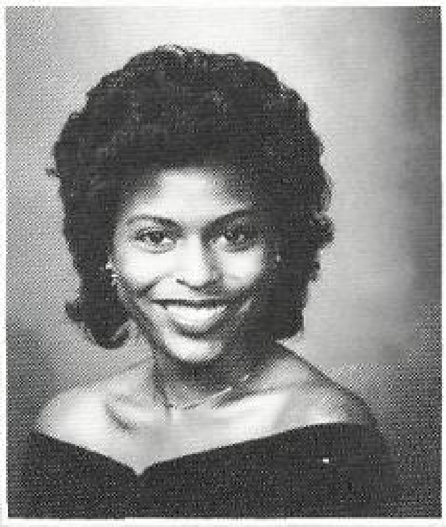
As Smyrna High School's 1984 valedictroian, ***Doug Loux*** *has maintained high scholastic standards in addition to being involved in many extracurricular activities. A conscientious student and an active participant in class, he will be given the honor of addressing the twenty-fifth graduating class of Smyrna High School.*



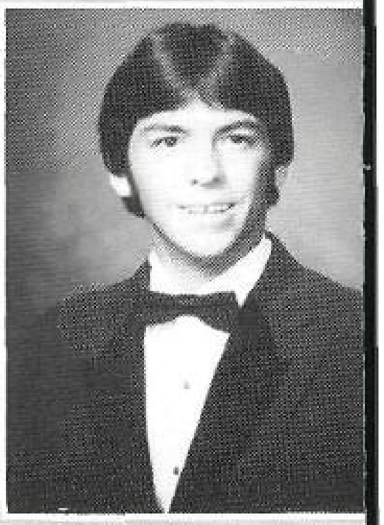
Gale Barrett



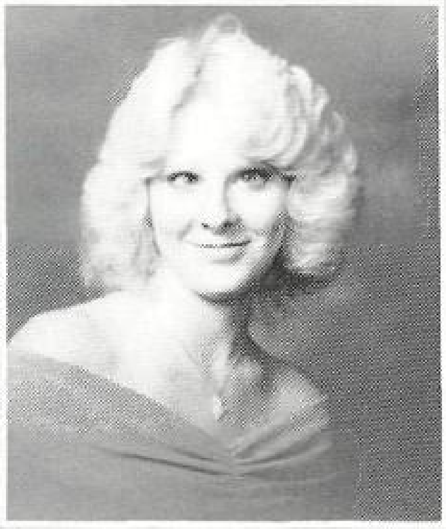
Ronald Eugene Bean



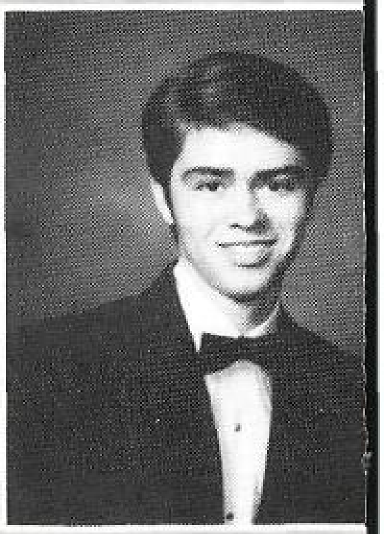
Sunji Michelle Beasley



Kevin Bess

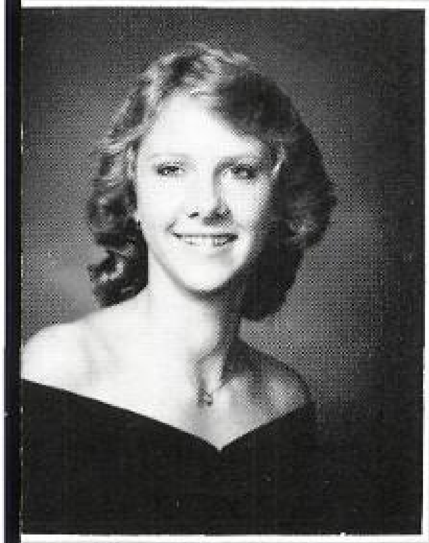


Cynthia R. Bilyeu

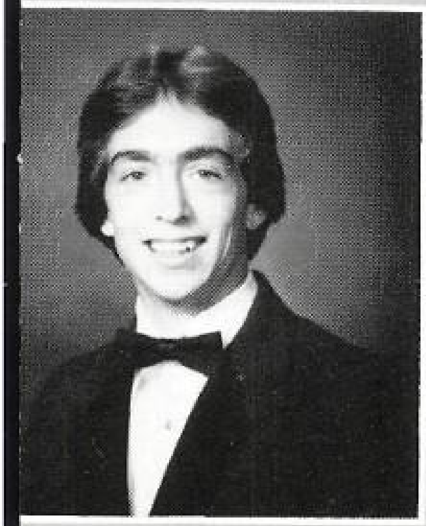


Quint Gordon Bogle

Francine Ann Boisvert

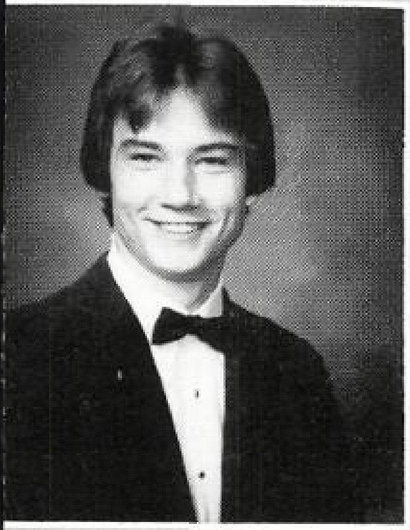


Teresa Elaine Bolton

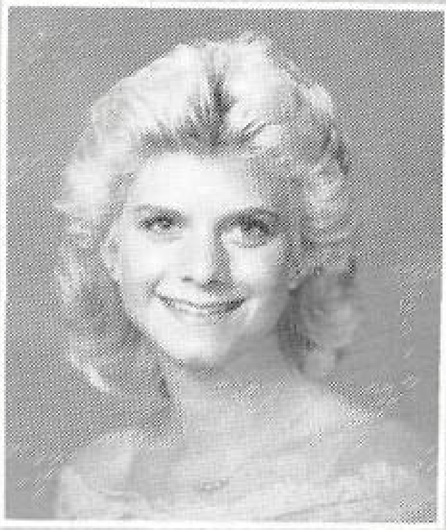


William Alexander Boner

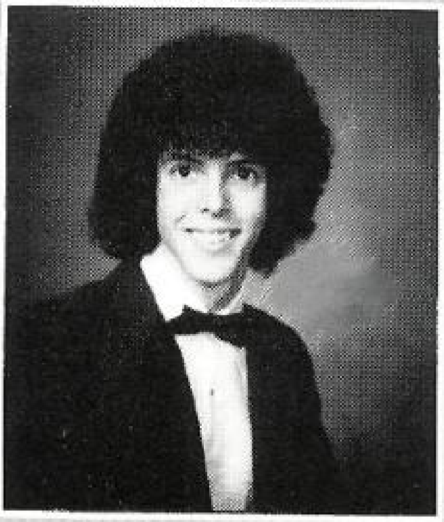
Sandra Michelle Brewer



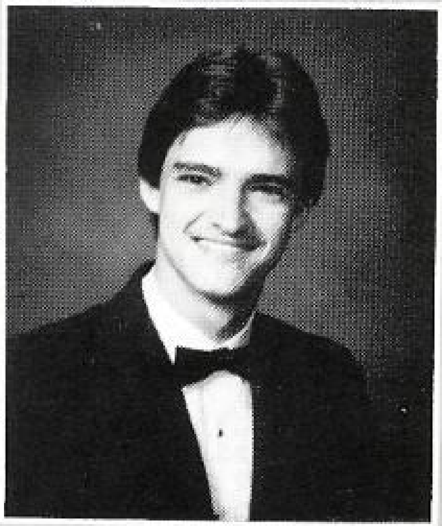
Brian David Brooks



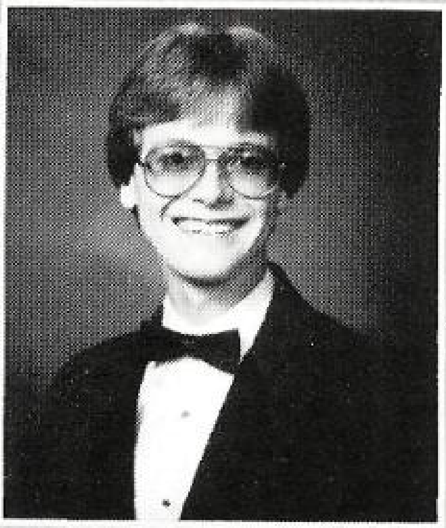
Tammy Lynn Brackney



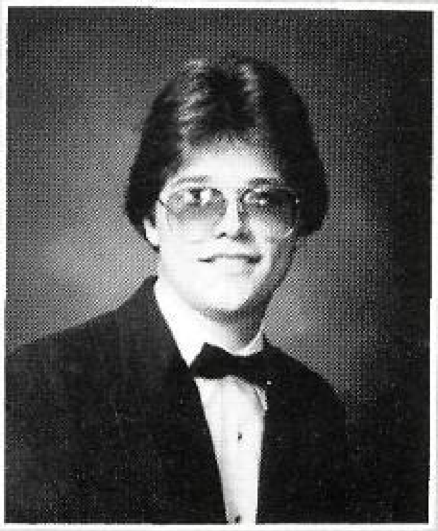
Doyle Wayne Bradford



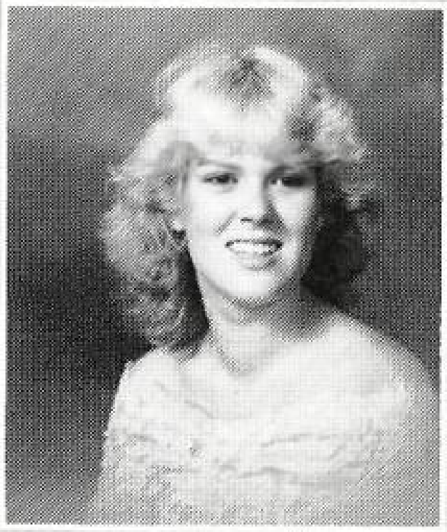
Anthony D. Brewer



Brad Alan Brock



Everette Lee Brown



Kim Brown

Bolton, Teresa Elaine. *Marching Band 10-11, Vice President 12; Concert Band 10-12, Jazz Band 12, Pep Band 10-11, Beta Club 10-11, Secretary 12; Mu Alpha Theta 10-12, Science Club 11-12, Computer Club 12.*

Boner, William Alexander. *VICA 12.*

Brackney, Tammy Lynn. *National Honor Society 11-12, Beta Club 10-11, President 12; Pep Club 10-12, Science Club 10-12, FCA 10-12, Cross Country 10-12, most valuable player 11; Student Council 12, S Club 10-12, Computer Club 12, Office Worker 12, Mu Alpha Theta 11-12.*

Bradford, Doyle Wayne.

Brock, Brad Alan. *FFA 10, VICA 11-12.*

Brooks, Brian David. *Pep Club 10-12, ROTC 10-11, Science Club 11, FFA 10-11, VICA 12.*

Brown, Everette Lee. *STEP Club 10, Paper Chairman 11, President 12: VICA Representative 12, Pep Club 10-12.*

Brown, Kim. *Pep Club 10-11.*

Brown, Timothy R. VICA 12.

Browning, Patricia Ann. Pep Club 10-11.

Bucklew, Lisa Kay.

Burns, Lisa Delano. Drama Club 11, Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Butler, Charlie Henry. Pep Club 10, VICA 11-12.

Butler, Cynthia Caprece. Female Drill Team 10, Commander 11; ROTC 10-12, Platoon Leader 12; Pep Club 10-11, Female Squad 10, Commander 11.

Butler, Michael Thomas.

Butler, Theresia Marie. Pep Club 10-12, ROTC 10, VICA 12.

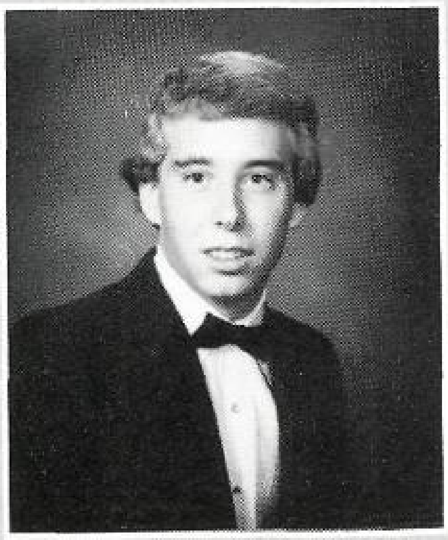
Byrd, Mack Edward. ROTC 10-11, Pep Club 12, VICA 11.

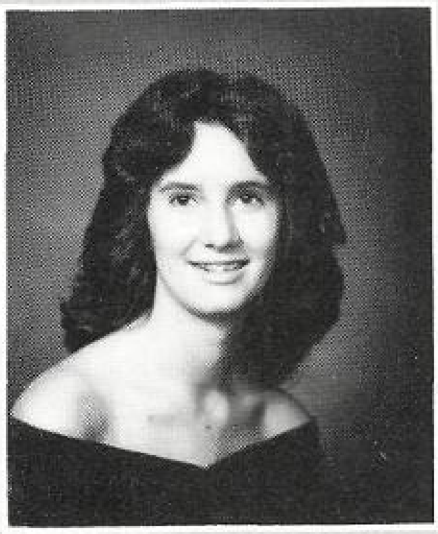
Callaway, James Gregory. Pep Club 12, Science Club 12, VICA 12.

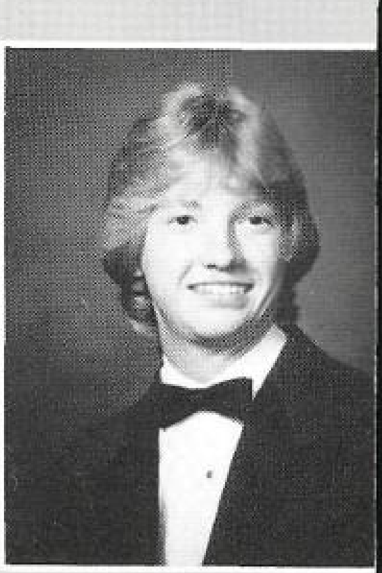
Campbell, Pamela Lee. Pep Club 10-12, Student Council 10-11, Band 10-11, VICA 12.

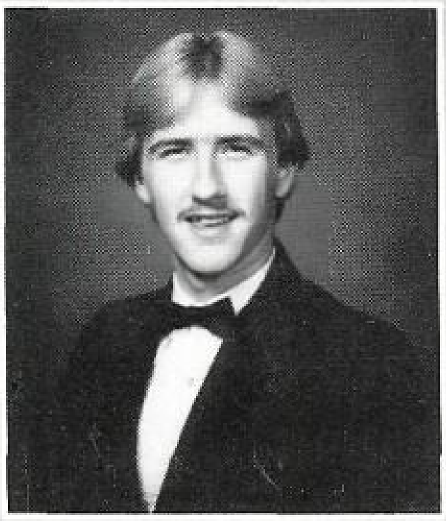
Cannon, Antoinette. National Honor Society 11-12, Pep Club 10-12, French Club 10, Beta Club 11-12, Student Council Treasurer 12, Mu Alpha Theta 10-11, Secretary 12; Homecoming Queen, Most School Spirit, Office Worker 12, FCA 12, S Club 12, Key Club Sweetheart 12, Cheerleader 11, Captain 12; Interact 12, Youth of the Month 12.

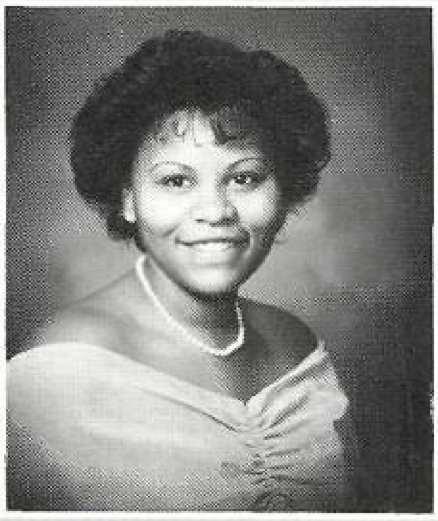
Cantrell, Teresa Ann. Pep Club 10, FHA 11, ROTC 10-11, Drill Team 10-11.

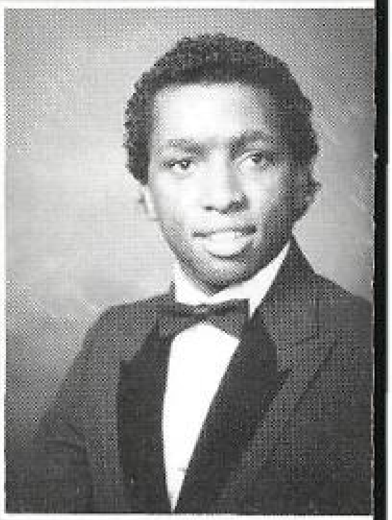

Timothy R. Brown

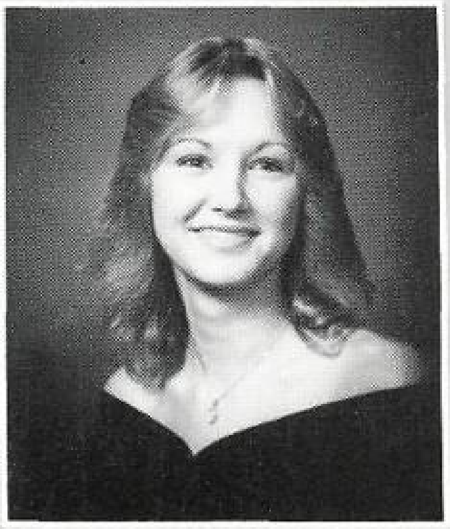

Patricia Ann Browning

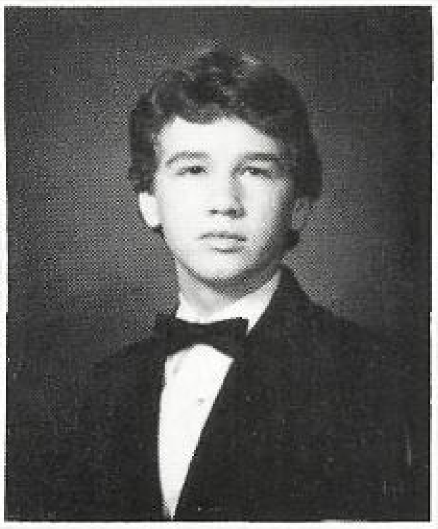

Robert Thomas Bushee

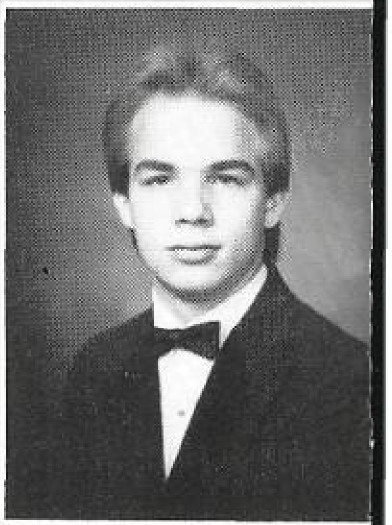

Charlie Henry Butler


Cynthia Caprece Butler

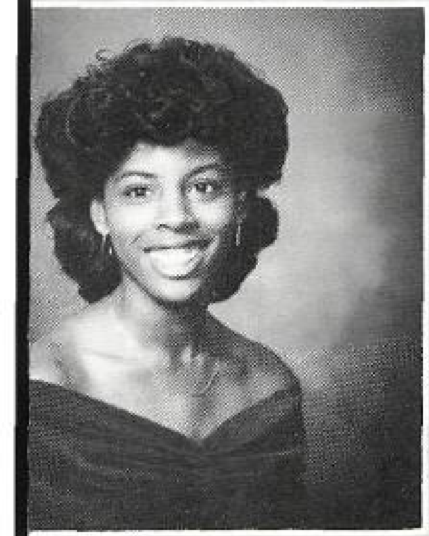

Michael Thomas Butler


Theresia Marie Butler


Mack Edward Byrd

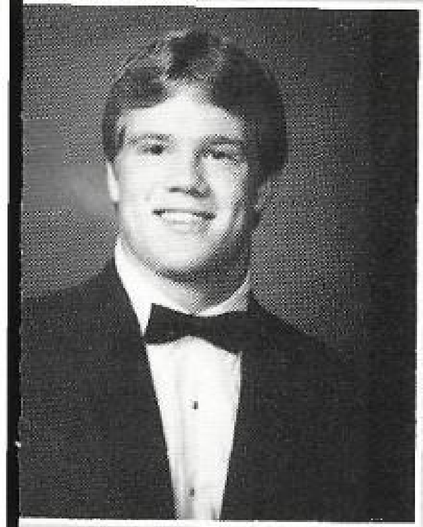

James Gregory Callaway

Pamela Lee Campbell

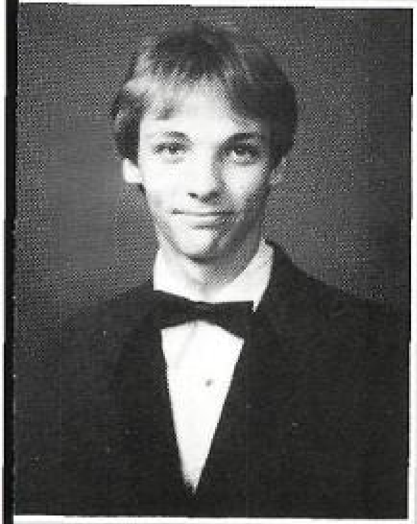


Antoinette Cannon

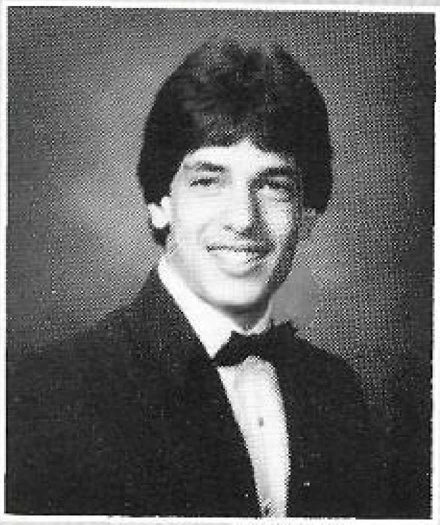
Teresa Ann Cantrell



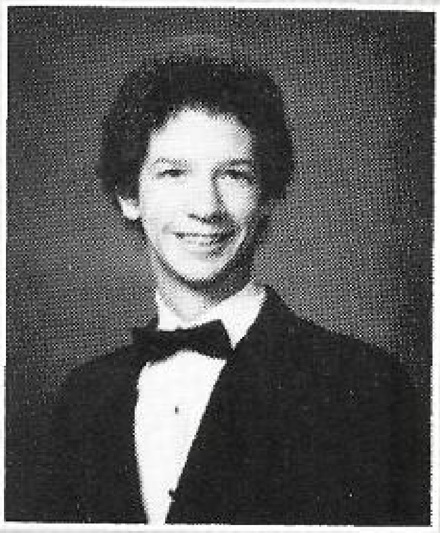
Robert Elvis Carillon



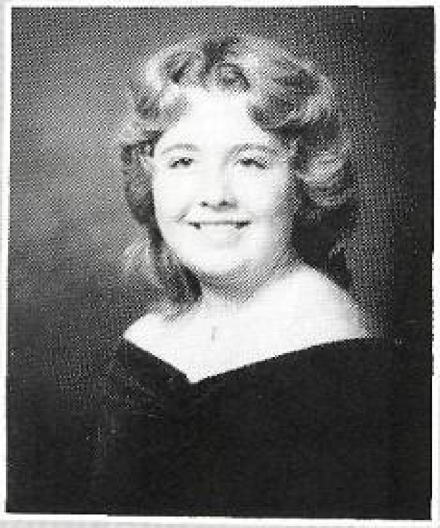
Kent William Cast



Tony James Carbonari



Walter Barry Cartwright



Teresa Castleberry

Salutatorian

A person who has always set high academic goals and who has never failed to reach them, ***Diane Griffin*** *is salutatorian of the 1984 graduating class. Maintaining her average as will as being actively involved in many clubs and organizations at S.H.S.,* ***Diane*** *is commended for her achievements.*

Cantrell, Vickie Renee.

Carbonari, Tony James. *ROTC 10-12, Superior Cadet 11, Battalion Commander 12.*

Carillon, Robert Elvis. *Pep Club 11-12, S Club 12, Art Club 12, Key Club 12, Interact 12, VICA 11, Parliamentarian 12; FCA 10-11, Secretary 12; Most Popular, Football 11-12, Basketball Manager 10, Cross Country 10.*

Cartwright, Walter Barry. *National Honor Society 11-12, Beta Club 10-12, Beta Epsilon 11-12, Science Club 10-12, Interact 12, Youth of the Month, Class President 10-12, Boys' State 11, Sophomore and Junior Academic Award, Mu Alpha Theta 11-12, Who's Who Among American High School Students, Who's Who in Foreign Languages in Tennessee High Schools, Who's Who in Mid-American High Schools Foreign Languages, Most Intellectual Boy, Society of Distinguished High School Students, National Science Olympiad School Winner,* ***Bulldog Bark*** *Staff 11-12,* ***Gold Dust*** *Staff, Photographer 11-12, Sports Editor 12; Computer Club 12; MTSU Math Contest 10-12, MTSU History Contest 11.*

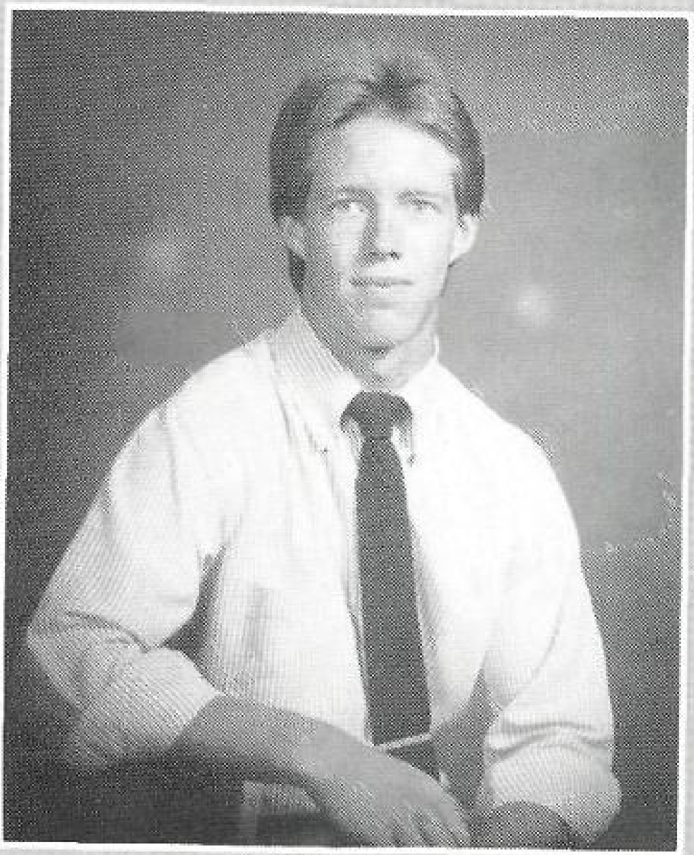
Cast, Kent William. *FFA 10-11, Industrial Arts 10-11, Drill Team 10-11, Rangers 10-12, Orienteering 10-12, Color Guard 10-12, Honor Guard 10-12.*

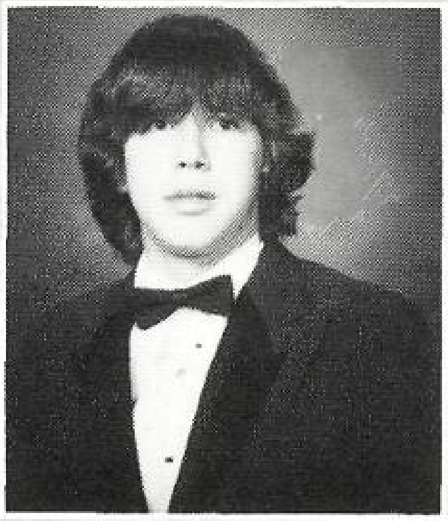
Castleberry, Teresa Jo. *Pep Club 12, FHA 12, OEA-TOEC 12.*

Cates, James Loren. *VICA 12, Officer Worker 12.*
Chaffin, Marvin Leslie. *VICA 11-12, Pep Club 12.*
Clark, Darren Foy. *Band 10, FFA 12, ROTC 10-12, Rangers 10-12, Orienteering 11-12.*
Clark, Raymond Thomas Jr. *Pep Club 10, OEA-TOEC 11-12.*
Coleman, Robert Gordon. *Pep Club 11-12, VICA 12.*
Comer, Ed Joseph. *Pep Club 10-11, VICA 12.*

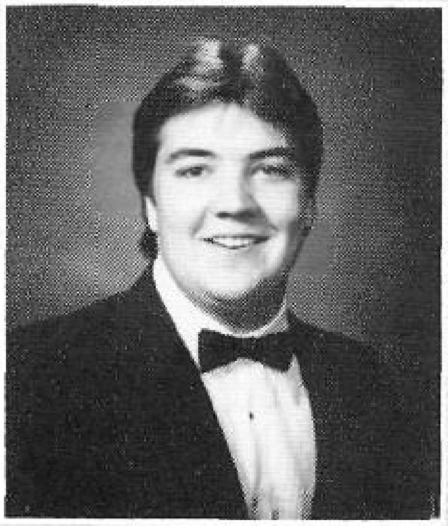
J.J. McWilliams Scholarship Award

This award, in honor of former S.H.S. principal J.J. McWilliams, is presented to a member of the senior class who exemplifies qualities of scholarship, conservatism, character, humility, and citizenship. Chosen by the faculty as recipient of this award, ***Mark Pickel*** *will be presented with a hundred dollar scholarship during the 1984 graduation ceremonies.*

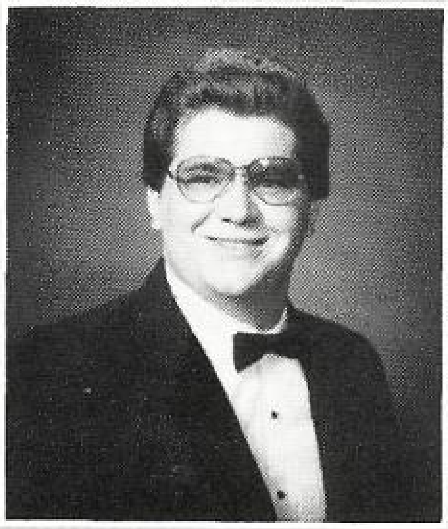




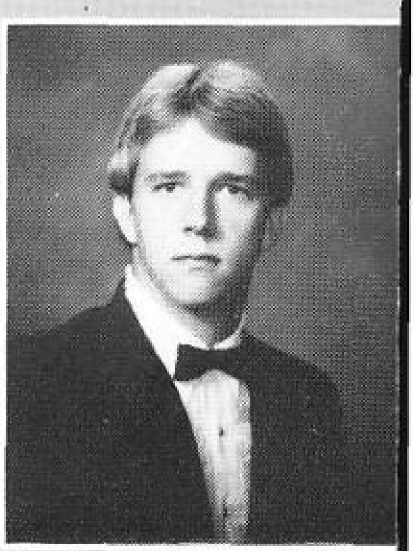
Marvin Leslie Chaffin



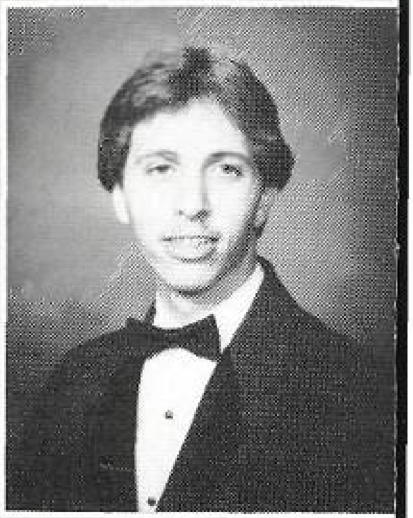
Raymond Thomas Clark Jr.



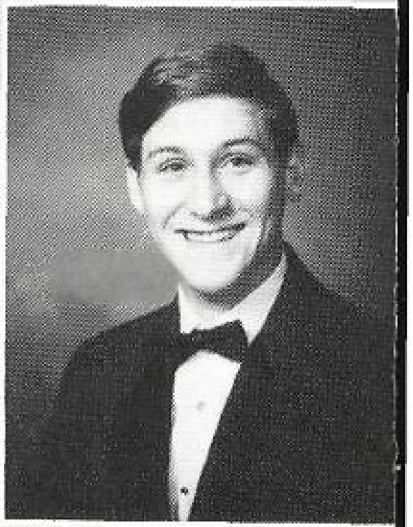
Robert Gordon Coleman



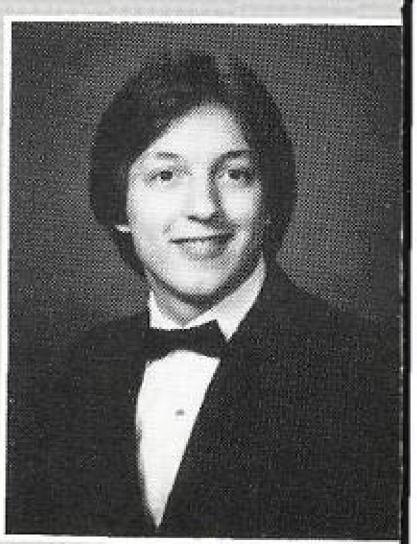
James Loren Cates



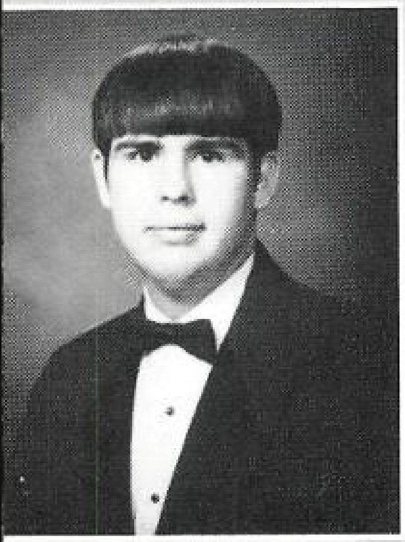
Darren Foy Clark

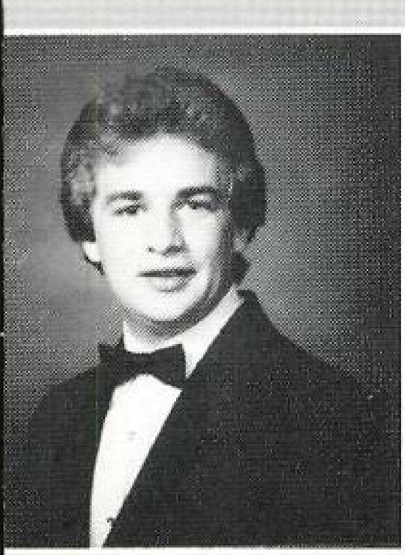


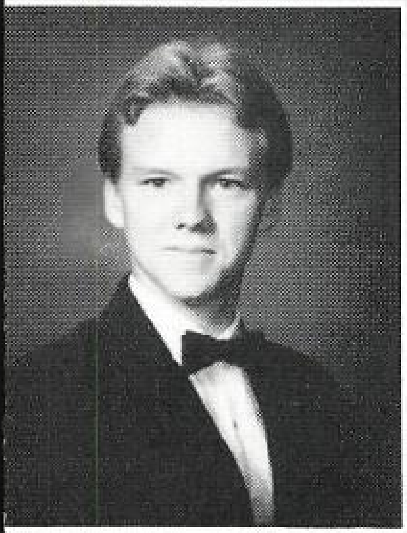
Larry Alan Coffee

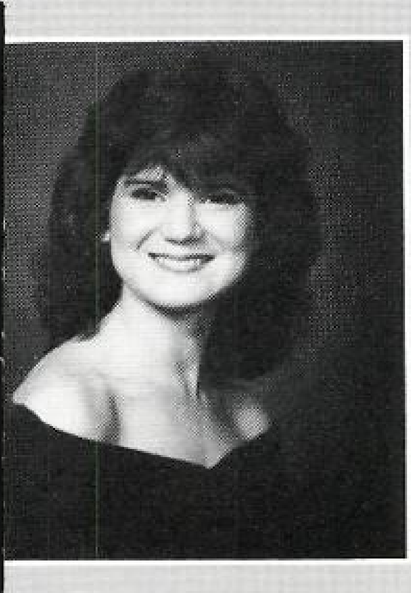


Ed Joseph Comer

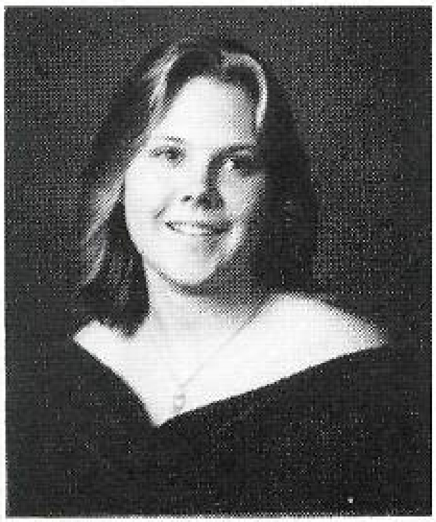

David Anthony Cook

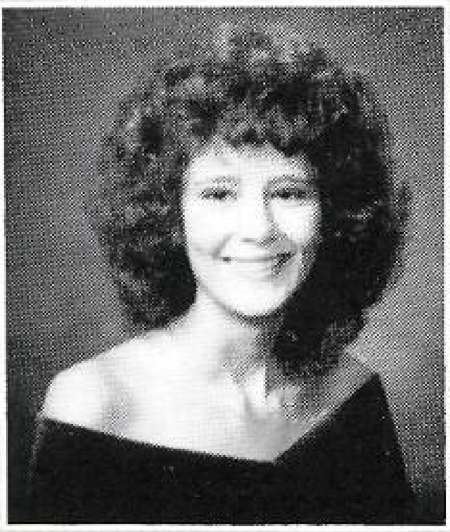

Ronald Eugene Cox

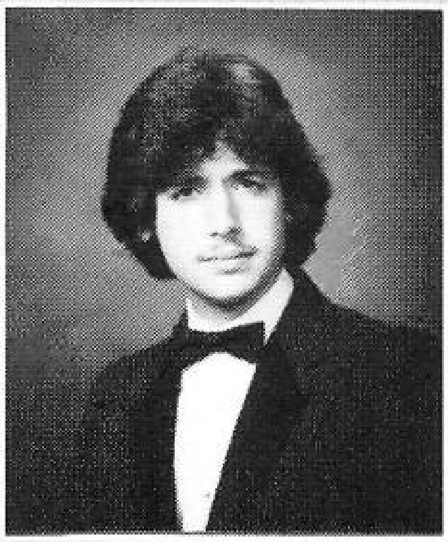

Michael David Crocker

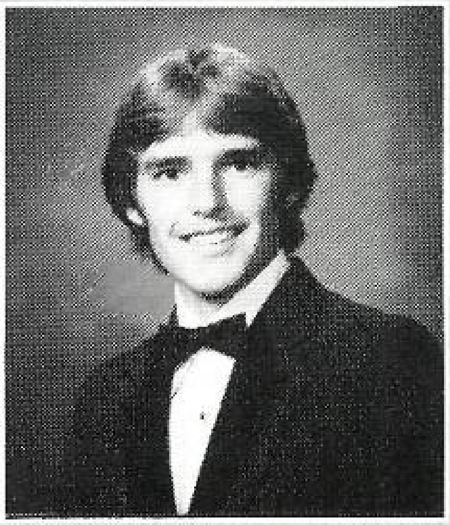

Kimberly Kay Daniels

Connie Yvonne Corley


Vera Renae Crawford


Sharon D. Cropper


Randall Johnson Cottrell


Rex G. Creviston

Cook, David Anthony. *Beta Club 10-12, Mu Alpha Theta 11-12, National Honor Society 12, Pep Club 12, Who's Who Among American High School Students, Science Club 10-12, Teacher's Aide 12, STEP Club 12, Computer Club 12, 10th in MTSU Math Contest 11.*

Corley, Connie Yvonne. *Beta Club 10-12, National Honor Society 11-12, Mu Alpha Theta 11-12, Science Club 12, ROTC 10, Computer Club 12, Magazine Captain 10-11.*

Cottrell, Randall Johnson. *VICA Vice President 11.*

Cox, Ronald Eugene. *Pep Club 11-12, VICA 11, Representative 12; Most Talented Boy.*

Crawford, Vera Renae. *Pep Club 10-12, FHA 10-11, Officer Worker 11.*

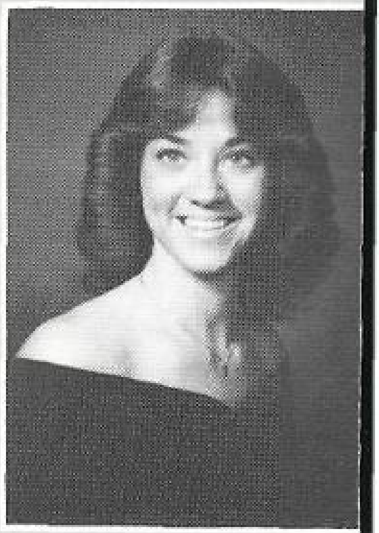
Creviston, Rex G. *Pep Club 10-12.*

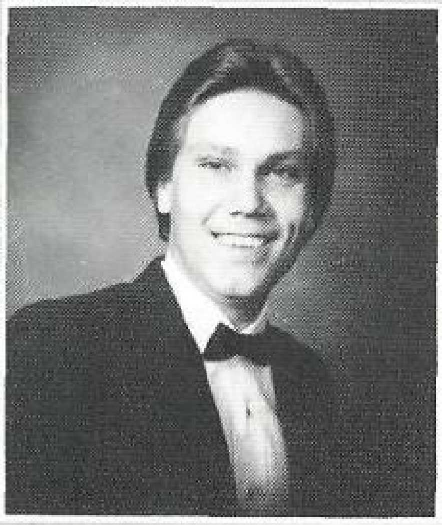
Crocker, Michael David. *ROTC 10-12, Rangers 11-12, ROTC Battalion Staff 11-12, French Club 11-12, Spanish Club 12.*

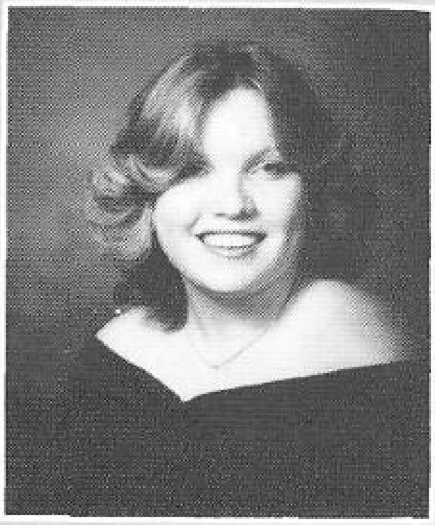
Cropper, Sharon D. *VICA 11-12, Pep Club 11-12.*

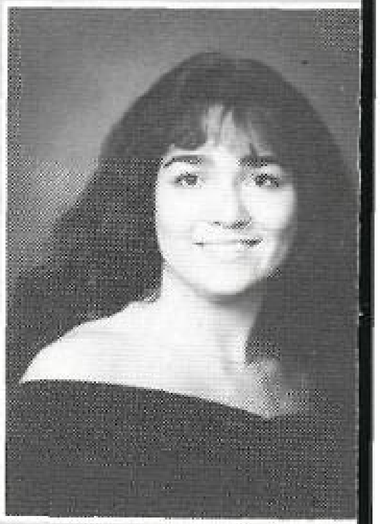
Daniels, Kimberly Kay. *Pep Club 10-12, VICA 12, Teacher's Aide 12.*

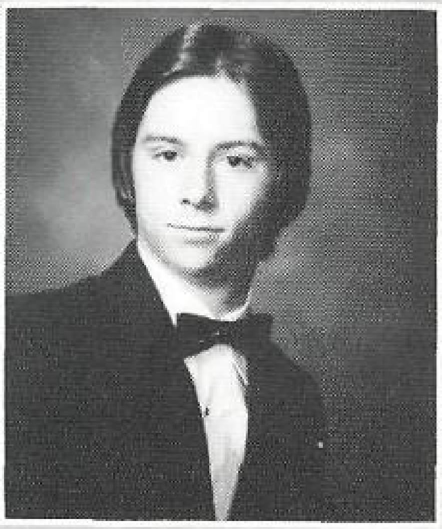
Darrell, Kevin. *VICA 12.*
Davenport, Vicky Lynn.
Davis, Jerry Lee Jr. *STEP Club 12, VICA 12, Pep Club 10-12.*
Davis, Mary Jane. *ROTC 10, OEA-TOEC 11.*
Dinger, Tina Marie. *Band Manager 10, Flag Girl 11, Pep Club 12, Computer Club 12.*
Dority, David. *ROTC 10-12.*
Duncan, Jennette Lynn. *FHA-HERO 11-12, Pep Club 11-12.*
Edmondson, Joe. *ROTC 10-12.*
Edwards, Marty. *FFA 10-11, Pep Club 10-12, VICA 12.*
Eidson, Sandra Katherine. *Pep Club 10, VICA 11-12.*

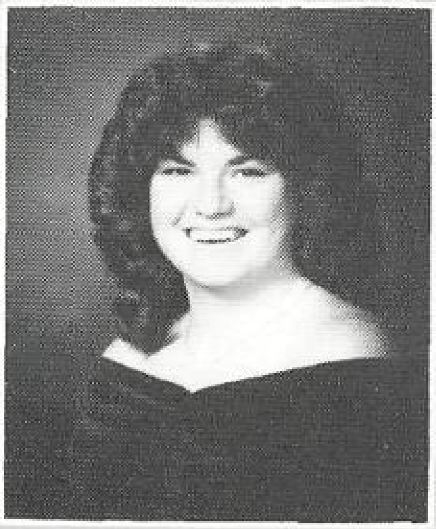

Vicky Lynn Davenport

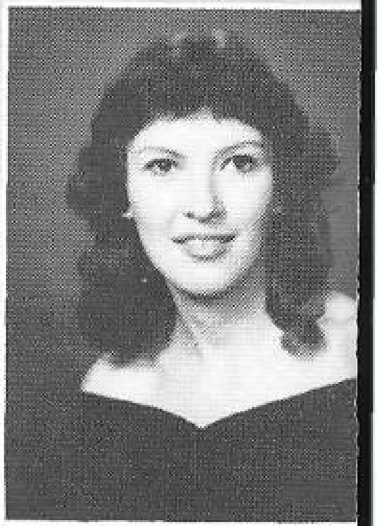

Jerry Lee Davis Jr.

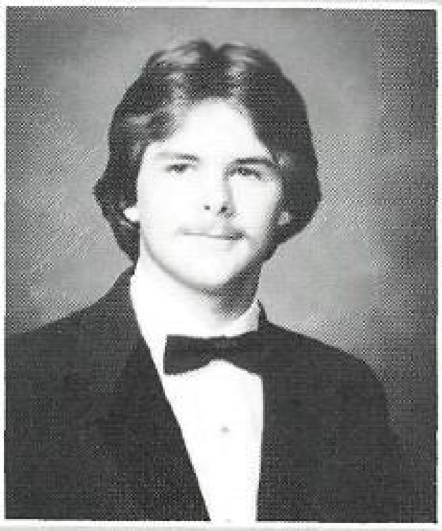

Mary Jane Davis

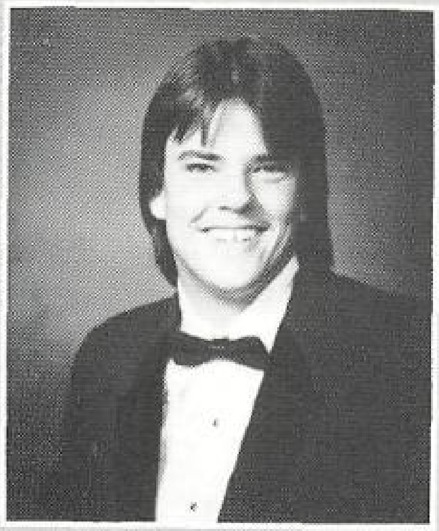

Tina Marie Dinger

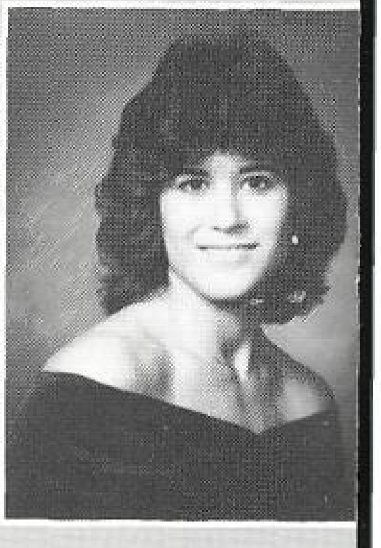

David Dority


Robin M. Dorris

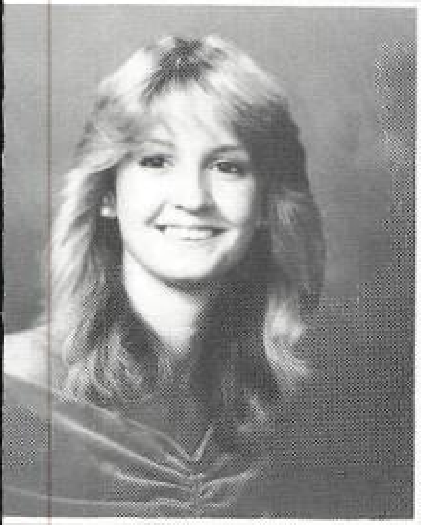

Jennette Lynn Duncan


Joe Edmondson

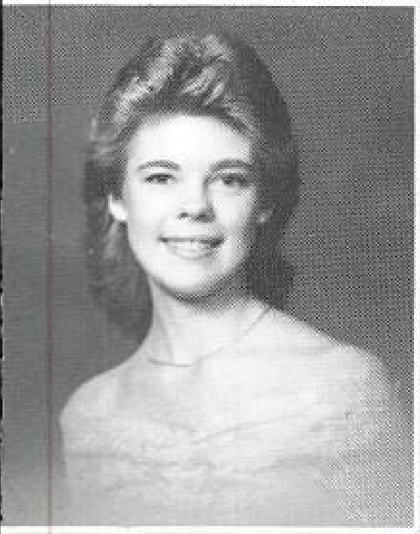

Marty Edwards


Tracey Epps

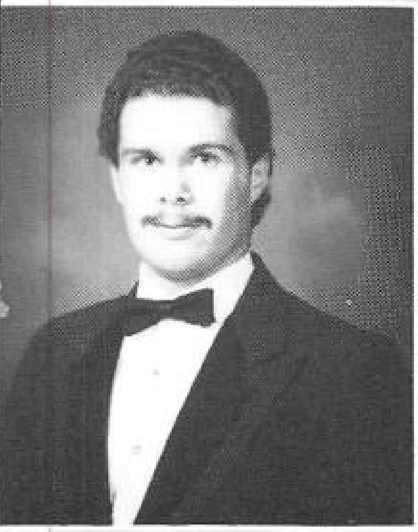
Angela Denise Estes



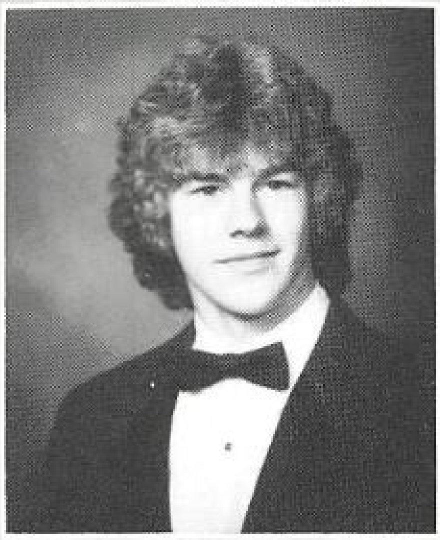
Brenda Gail Fann



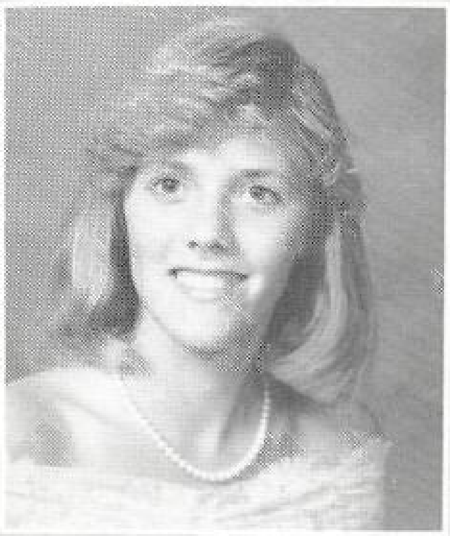
Cynthia Suzette Foutch



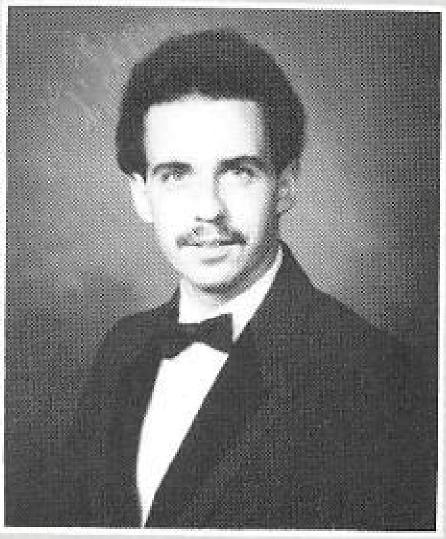
Don Frazer



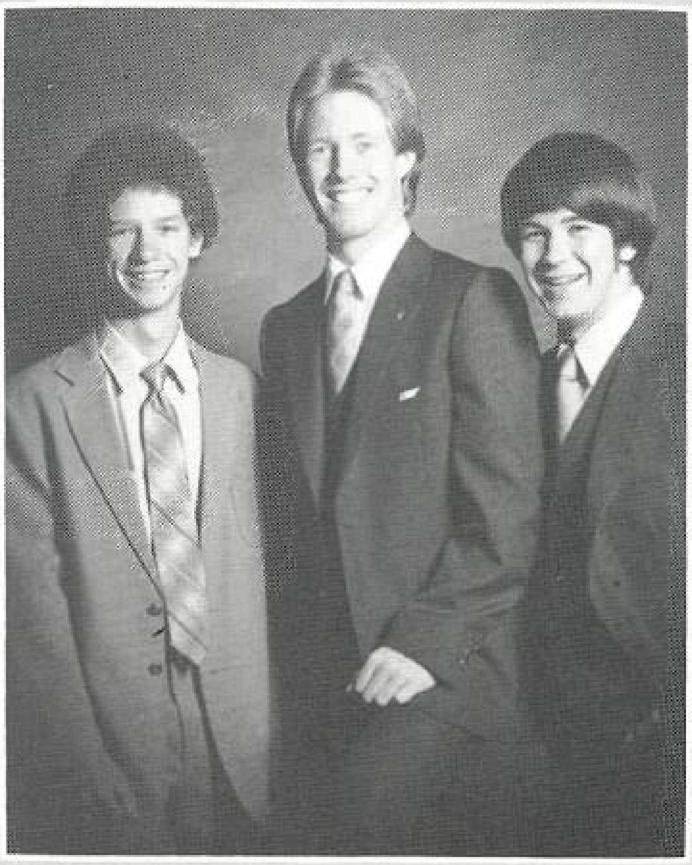
Paul L. Ewing



Kelly Jane Ferrell



Dan Frazer



Boys' State

As juniors, ***Barry Cartwright, Mark Pickel,*** *and* ***Don Johnson*** *were chosen to represent Smyrna High School at the 1983 Boys' State held at Tennessee Tech in Cookeville. These three students were selected because of their leadership potential and good character.*

During this experience in leadership training, they gained first-hand knowledge concerning government operation through the creation of their own local and state governments and participation in political party conventions and elections. They also had the opportunity to build new friendships and gain insight into themselves through planned recreation, public speaking, and other experiences. Boys' State is sponsored by the American Legion.

Estes, Angela Denise. *STEP Club 10, Pep Club 10-12, French Club 10, Interact 10-12, FHA-HERO 12, Student Council 12.*

Ewing, Paul L. *Pep Club 10-12.*

Fann, Brenda Gail. *OEA-TOEC 11, VICA 12.*

Ferrell, Kelly Jane. *French Club 10, Pep Club 10-12, Interact 10-11, Vice President 12; OEA-TOEC 11, Science Club 12, Computer Club 12, Key Club Sweetheart 12, Student Council 11-12, Best Dressed Girl 12, Office Worker 12.*

Floyd, Daniel. *Art Club 12, Computer Club 12.*

Foutch, Cynthia Suzette. *Interact 10, STEP Club 10, Pep Club 10-12, OEA-TOEC 12.*

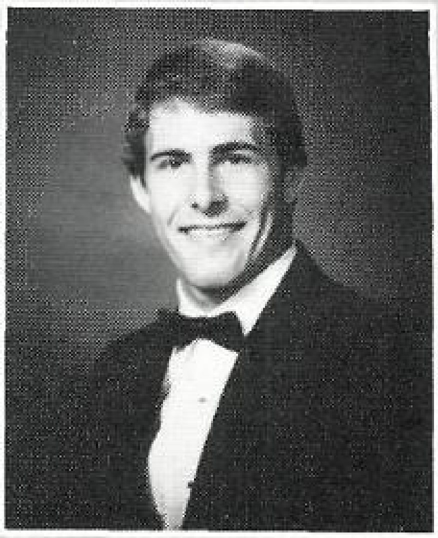
Frazer, Don. *VICA 12.*

Freeman, D. Mitchell. *FCA 10-12, STEP Club 10-12, S Club 11-12, Key Club 11-12, Science Club 10-11, Football 10-12, Best Looking Boy.*
Gartung, Ann-Marie. *Cross Country 10-11, Pep Club 10-12, Industrial Arts Club 10-12, FCA 11, VICA 12.*
Gilmore, Roger Dale Jr.
Glasner, John William Jr. *ROTC 10-12, Rifle Team 10-11.*
Goins, Robert. *VICA 12.*
Goodloe, Charles Ray. *Marching Band Officer 10-12; Pep Band 10-11, FFA 12, ROTC 10-12, Battalion S-2 12, Orienteering 12, Color Guard XO 12, Rangers 10-12, S-3 12.*
Gowins, Sandra Lynn.
Graham, Tina Lee. *Pep Club 10-12, Science Club 11, Beta Club 11-12, Mu Alpha Theta 11-12, Computer Club 12, Who's Who Among American High School Students, Guidance worker 12.*
Gress, Terri Lynne. *Pep Club 10, VICA 12.*
Griffin, Deborah Diane. *Beta Club 11-12, Pep Club 11, Science Club 11, National Honor Society 11, Secretary 12; Volunteer Girls' State Delegate 11, Most Intellectual Girl,* ***Gold Dust*** *Staff 11, Copy Editor 12;* ***Bulldog Bark*** *staff 11-12, Mu Alpha Theta 11-12, Beta Epsilon 11-12, Computer Club 12, Teacher's Aide 12, Sophomore Academic Award, Junior Academic Award, American History Award, Rutherford County Spelling Bee Champion 10, Who's Who Among American*

Girls' State

Selected during their junior year to serve as delegates to the 1983 Volunteer Girls' State were ***Diane Griffin*** *and* ***Sandi Johns.*** *Girls' State is a program of citizenship training and governmental working on a mythical level which involves girls throughout the state. Volunteers Girls' State encourages girls to make a commitment to themselves.*

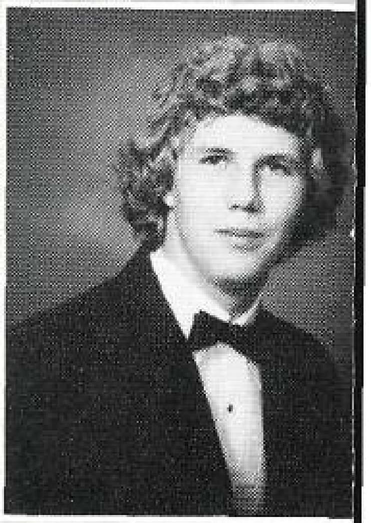
This week-long adventure was held at Middle Tennessee State University during the month of May. While there, through participating in political campaigns and elections and listening to prominent people in government, including Governor Lamar Alexander, U.S. Congressman Albert Gore, and State Senator Anna Bell Clement O'Brien, Sandi and Diane had the opportunity to learn how our state and local governments operate. Involvement in various recreational activities and the opportunity to make friends with girls from all over Tennessee were also vital aspects of Girls' State.



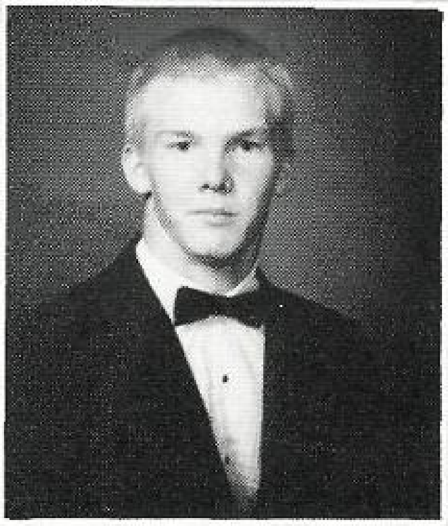
D. Mitchell Freeman

Ann-Marie Gartung

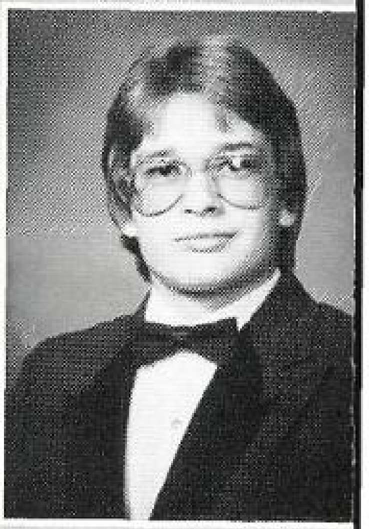
Sharon Marie Gibbs



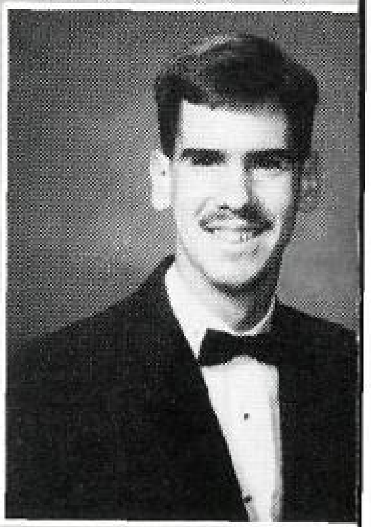
Roger Dale Gilmore Jr.



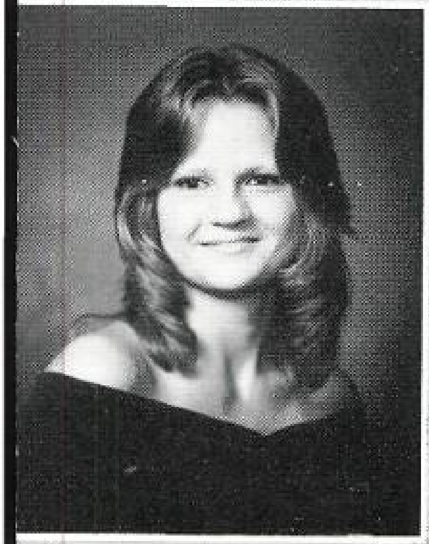
John William Glasner Jr.



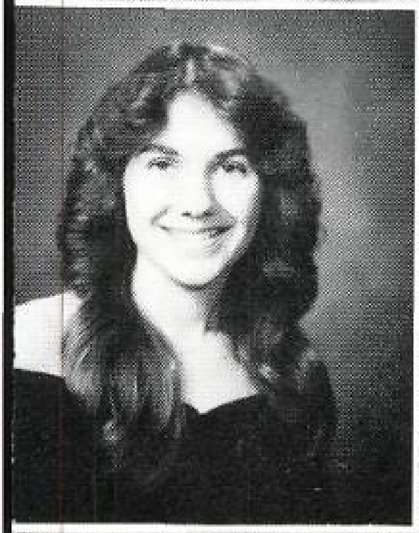
Robert Goins



Charles Ray Goodloe

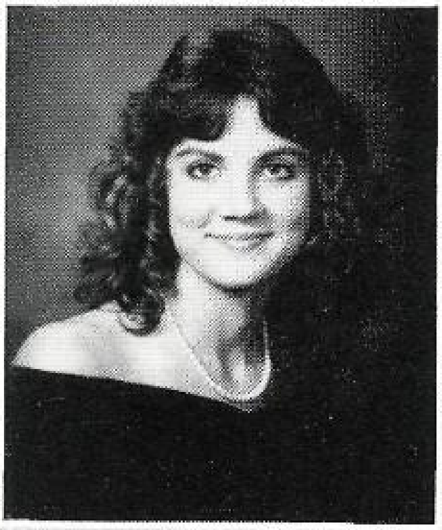

Sandra Lynn Gowins

Tina Lee Graham


Deborah Diane Griffin

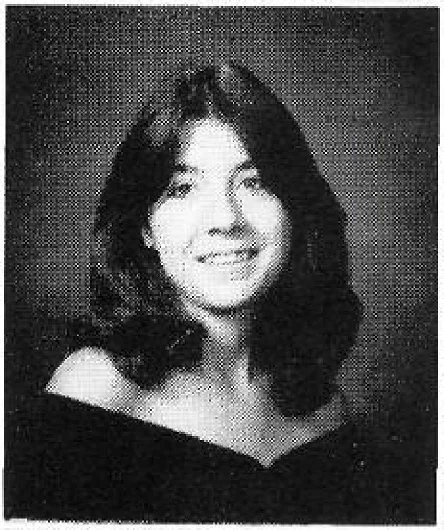
Martha Lois Harris

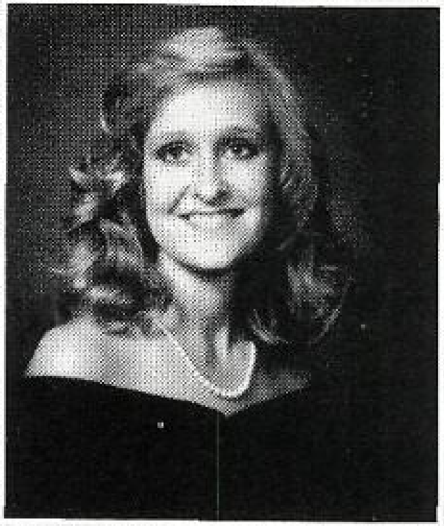
Tammy Greer


Angela Fay Harris

Towana June Harrison

Terri Lynne Gress


Carol Harris


Kristie A. Haynes

High School Students, MTSU Math Contest 10, MTSU Typing Contest 10, MTSU American History Contest 11, Society of Distinguished American High School Students 12.

Hager, Christopher D. *ROTC 10-12, Rifle Team 10-11, Drum and Bugle 10, Marching Band 10-12.*

Harris, Angela Fay. *Science Club 11, Art Club 12, VICA 12.*

Harris, Carol. *OEA-TOEC 12.*

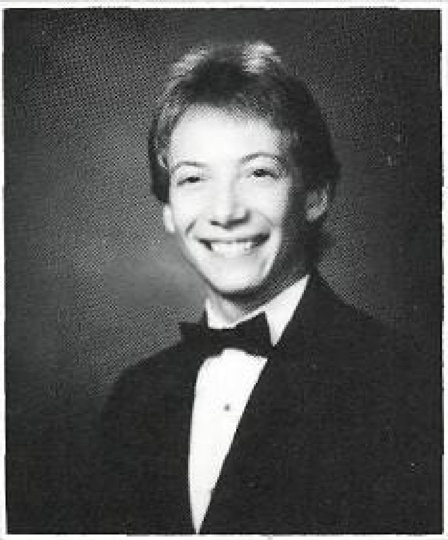
Harris, Martha Lois. *National Honor Society 11-12, Beta Club 10-12, Treasurer 11; OEA-TOEC 10-12, Class Secretary of 4th and 5th Block 11, President 12; Pep Club 10-12, Student Council 10-12, Most Likely to Succeed, DAR Award 12, Junior Class Treasurer, MTEMC High School Essay Winner 11, Guidance Worker 12, VOE I Award 11, Student of the Month 12, National Voting Delegate at OEA National Conference.*

Harrison, Towana June. *OEA-TOEC 12.*

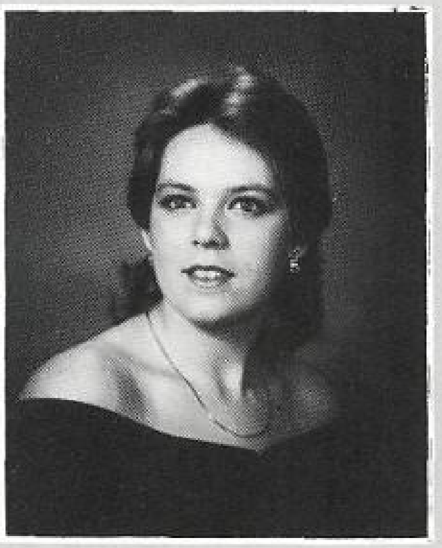
Harrison, Wayne. *Wrestling 11.*

Haynes, Kristie A. *Softball 10, Sophomore Class Treasurer, Student Council 10-12, Secretary 12; Junior and Senior Class Secretary, Pep Club 10-12, S Club 11, Mu Alpha Theta 11-12,* ***Gold Dust*** *Staff 11, Editor 12; Bulldog Bark Staff 11-12, Interact 12, Best Personality Girl.*

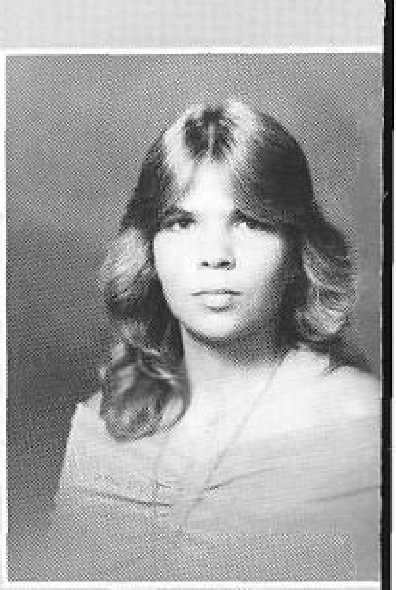
Heil, Richard Arthur. *Chorus 11-12, Honors Chorus 11-12.*
Helton, Yvonne Michelle. *Pep Club 10-11, Flag Girl 10-11, OEA-TOEC Class Secretary 11, FHA 12, ROTC 10-11, S-4 Officer 12; French Club 10.*
Henegar, Lisa Carol. *FHA 10-12.*
Henson, Marianne Kathleen. *Band 10-12, FHA 12, Pep Club 10-12, Pep Band 10-11.*
Henson, Nansisue Kathiryn. *Band 10-11, FHA 11, OEA-TOEC 12.*
Hicks, Joseph. *FFA 10, VICA 12, Pep Club 12.*
Hill, Kecya Kaye. *ROTC 10-12, Female Drill Team 10-11, Pep Club 10-11.*
Hobbs, Tammy Jane. *OEA-TOEC 10-12, Class President 12; Pep Club 10-12, Science Club 10, French Club 10, STEP Club 10-11, FHA-HERO 10-12.*
Hooper, Richard Edward. *Band 10-12, ROTC 10.*
Hoover, Kimberly J. *FHA 10-12, FFA 10-11.*



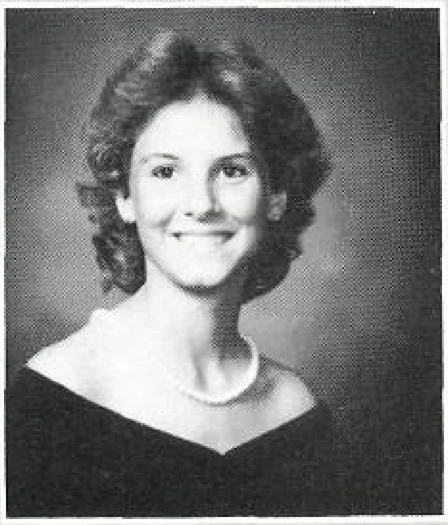
Richard Arthur Heil



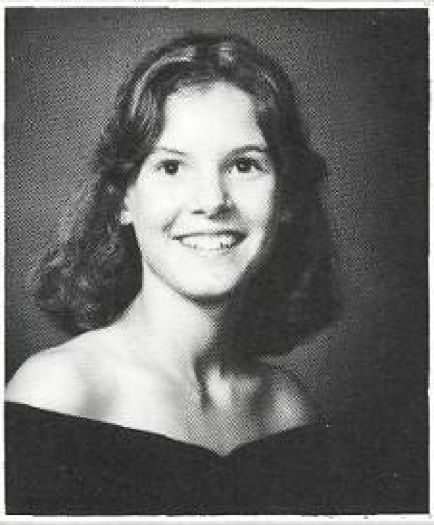
Yvonne Michelle Helton



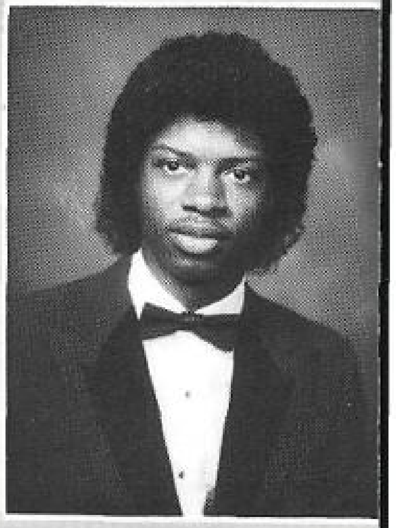
Lisa Carol Henegar



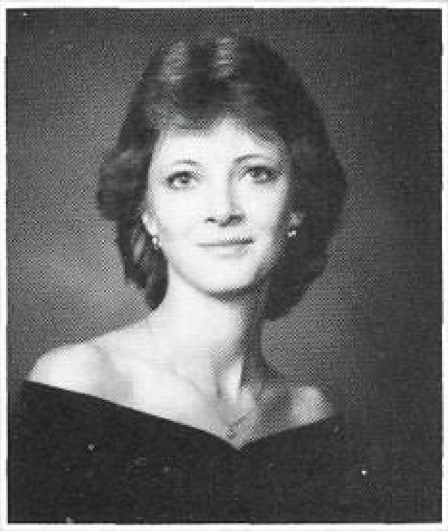
Marianne Kathleen Henson



Nansisue Kathiryn Henson

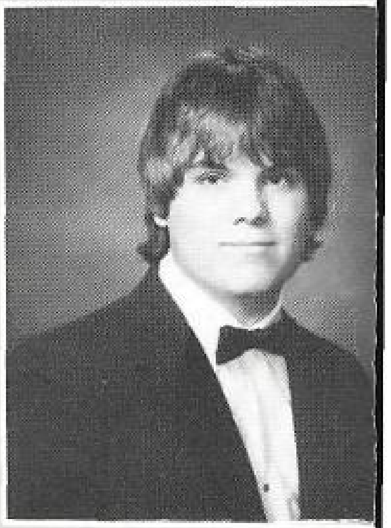


Joseph Hicks



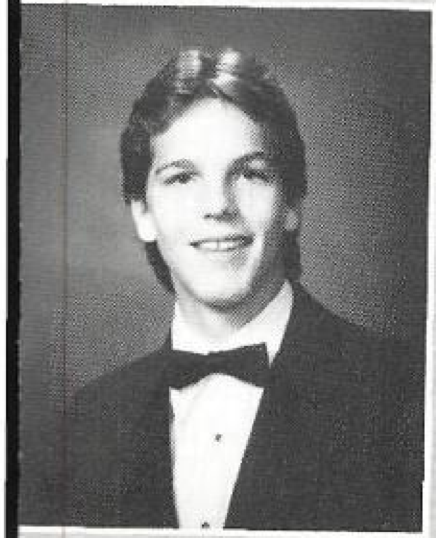
Kecya Kaye Hill

Tammy Jane Hobbs

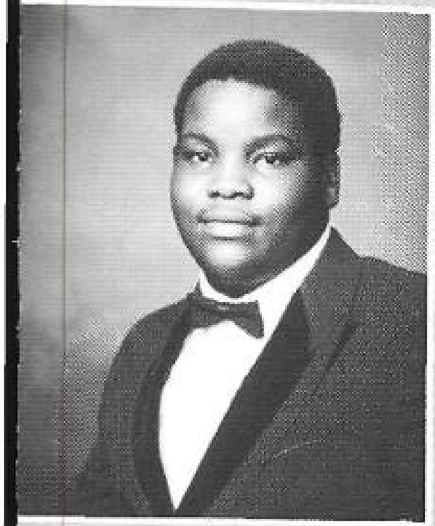


Richard Edward Hopper

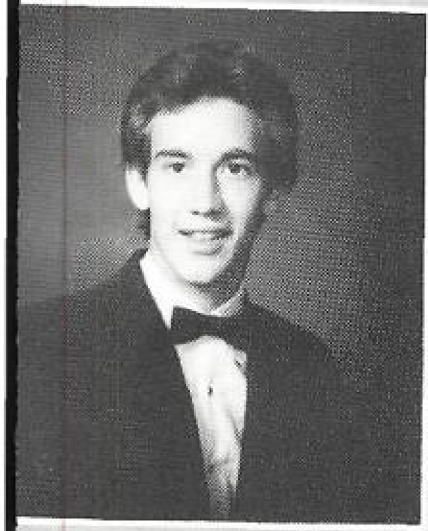
Kimberly J. Hoover



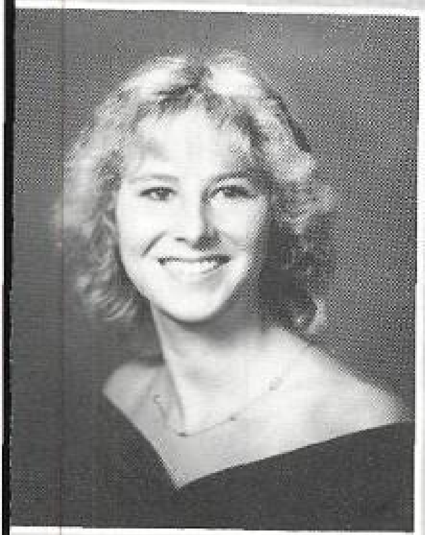
Alan Thomas Horrell



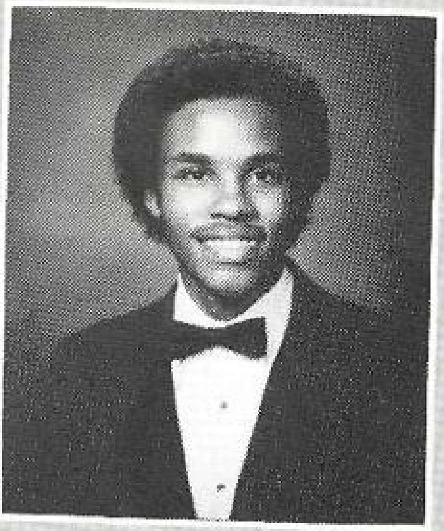
Duncan E. Howse



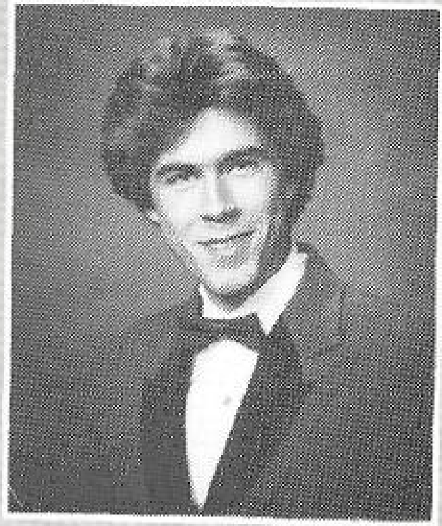
Jon Hudnall



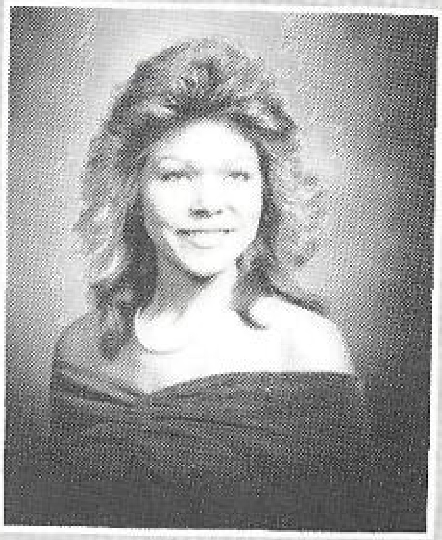
Theresa Dawn Huttner



Tracy Cordell Howse



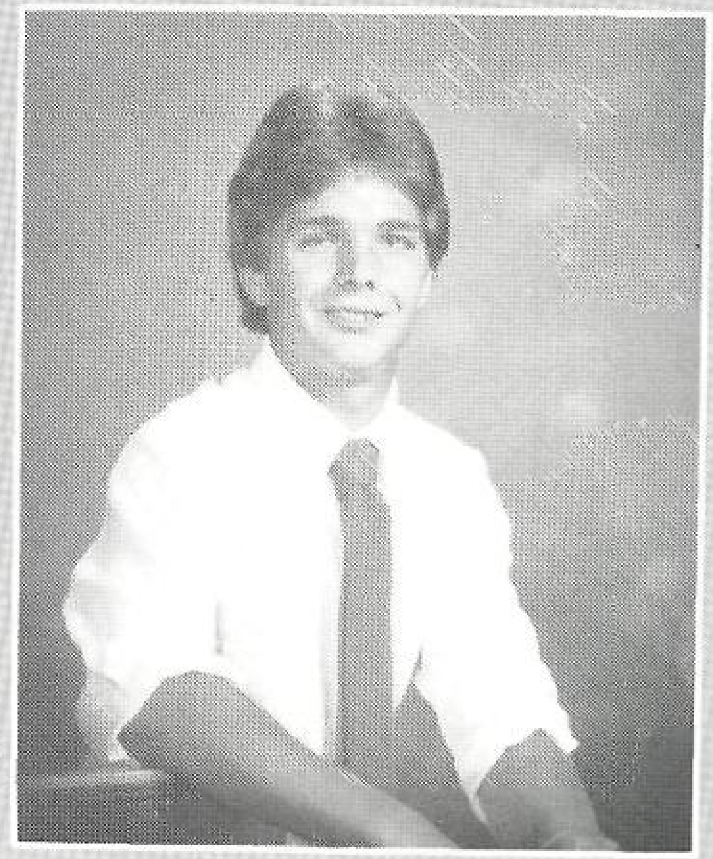
Kenneth L. Hunsicker



Cherie Igleheart

Balfour Award

Because of many achievements while at Smyrna High School, ***Doug Loux*** *has been chosen by the faculty to be the recipient of the Balfour Award. This award, which is one of the highest honors a senior can receive, is presented to a student who demonstrates traits of loyalty, scholarship, and involvement in school activities.* ***Doug*** *is very deserving of this award.*

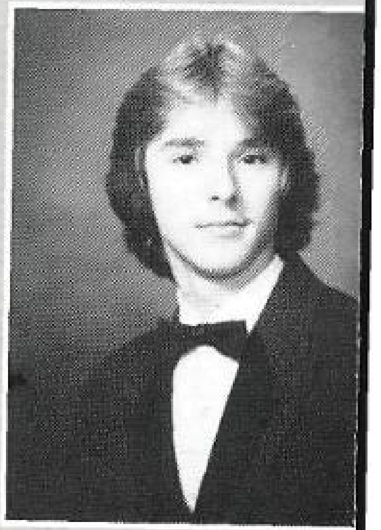


Horrell, Alan Thomas. *Industrial Arts Club 10-12, Pep Club 11-12, VICA 11-12, Computer Club 12, Science Club 10, Golf Team 12.* ***Howse, Duncan E.*** *VICA 12, Pep Club 10-12.* ***Howse, Tracy Cordell.*** *Student Council Vice President 12, Interact 12, Pep Club 12, Basketball 10-11.* ***Hudnall, Jon.*** *Band 10, Football 11-12, Interact 12, Student Council 10, Science Club 10.* ***Hunsicker, Kenneth L.*** *Beta Club 11, Mu Alpha Theta 11-12, VICA 12.* ***Huttner, Theresa Dawn.*** *Transfer Student from California, Baronettes Vice President 10, Beta Epsilon 12, Pep Club 12, OEA-TOEC 12.* ***Igleheart, Cherie.***

Ingram, Eddie. *Pep Club 10-11, VICA 12, FFA 10-12.*
Ivey, Brenda Lee. *FHA-HERO 10-12.*
Jessee, Rhonda Jane. *Pep Club 12, FHA-HERO 12.*
Johns, Frances Sanders. *Exchange Club Youth of the Month, Interact 12, Beta Club 10-12, S Club 11-12,* ***Bulldog Bark*** *Staff 11-12, Gold Dust Staff Sports Editor 11, Features Editor 12; Beta Epsilon 11-12, Activities Chairman 11; Who's Who Among American High School Students, Society of Distinguished High School Students, Student Council 10-12, MTSU Math Contest 10, Computer Club 12, Pep Club 10-12, Volunteer Girls' State Delegate, elected mayor of Robertson City; Mu Alpha Theta 11-12, National Honor Society 11, Treasurer 12; Cheerleader 11, Captain 12; Tennis 10-12, Best All Around Girl, Sophomore Class Secretary, Junior and Senior Class Vice President, FCA 10-12.*
Johnson, Don. *National Honor Society 11, President 12; Beta Epsilon 11-12, Vice President 11, President 12; Science Club 10-12, Pep Club 12, Key Club 12, Interact 12, S Club 12, Baseball 10-12, Varsity 11-12; Latin I Award, Latin II Award, Exchange Club Youth of the Month, American Legion Boys' State, Sophomore Academic Award, Junior Academic Award, Mu Alpha Theta 11-12, Who's Who Among American High School Students, Who's Who in Tennessee Foreign Language Students, VFW Voice of Democracy Essay School*

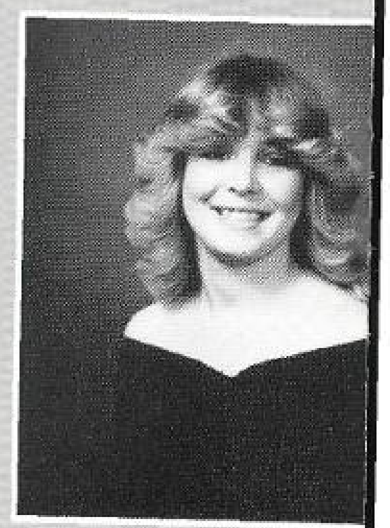
Danforth Award

Because of her character, scholastic achievements, attitude, and concern for fellow students and teachers, ***Deborah Moore*** *was chosen by Mr. Raikes as one of the recipients of the Danforth Award.*

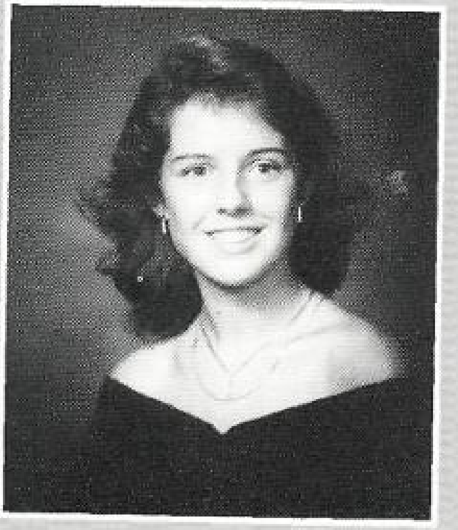


Eddie Ingram

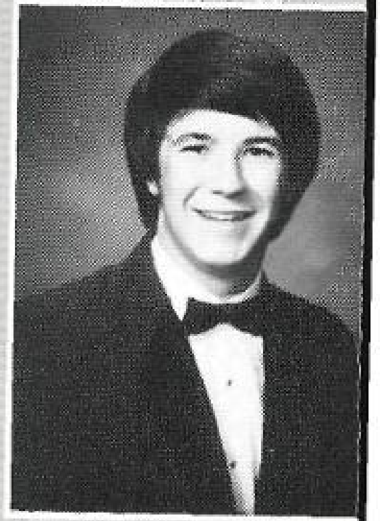
Brenda Lee Ivey



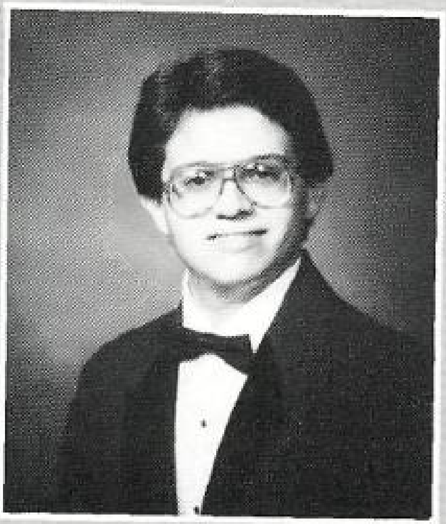
Rhonda Jane Jessee



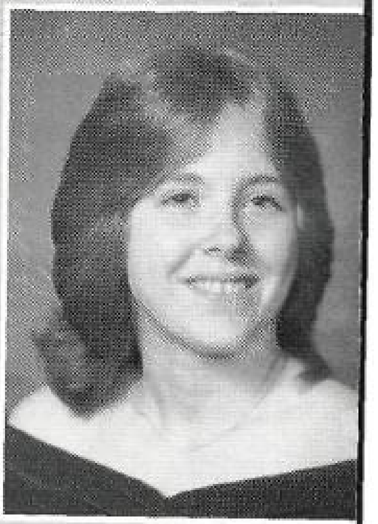
Frances Sanders Johns



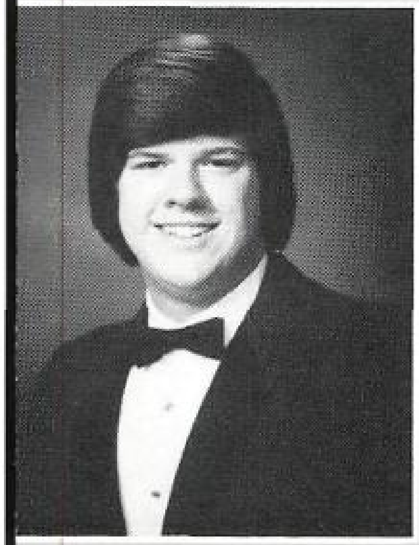
Don Johnson

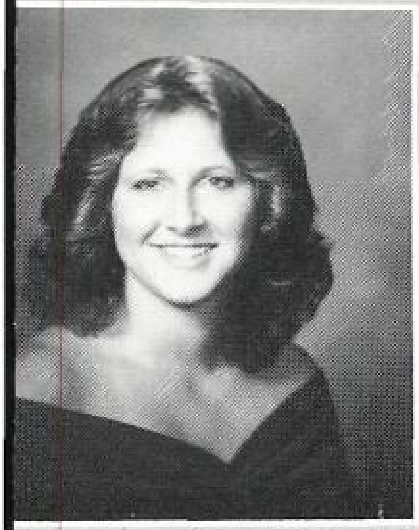


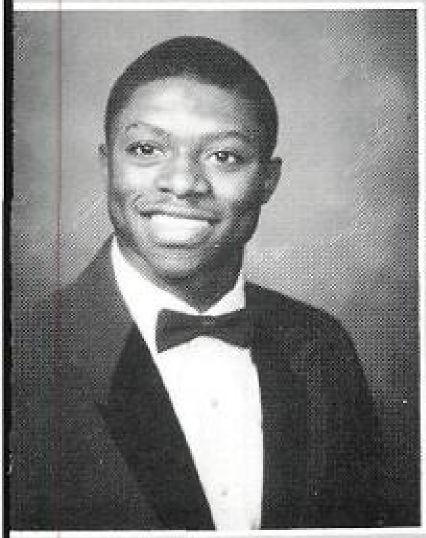
Jay Douglas Johnson

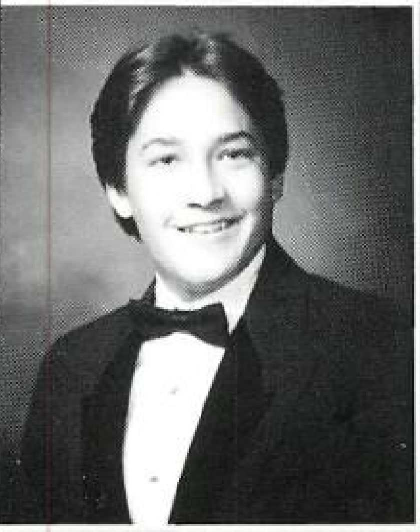


Amanda LeAnne Jones

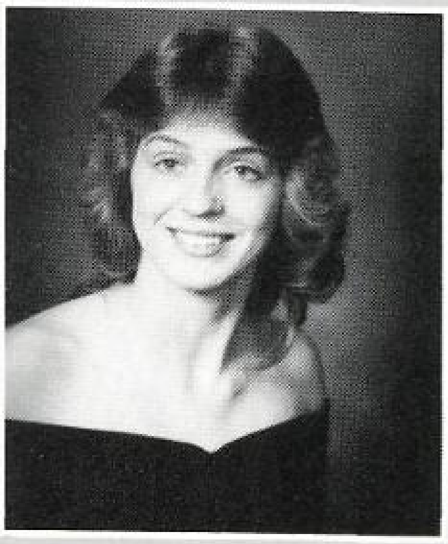

Robert Lynn Jones

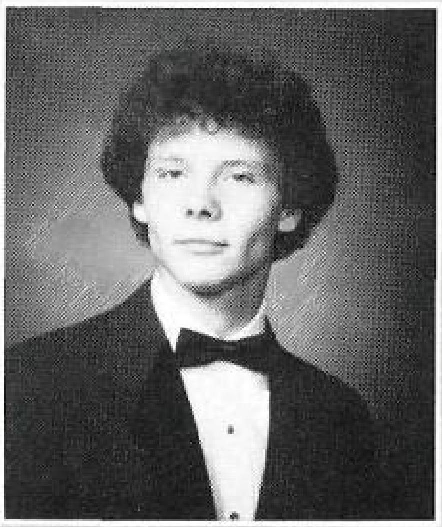

Sonja Judkins

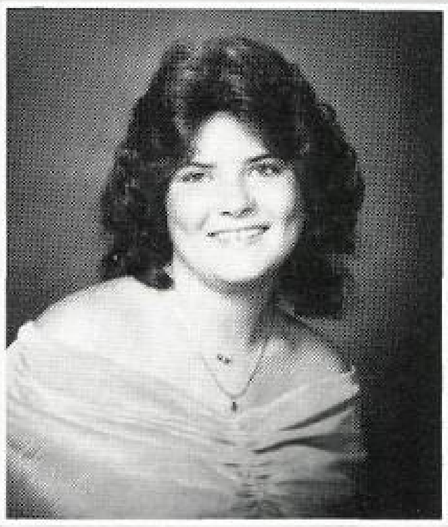

Isiah Kelly

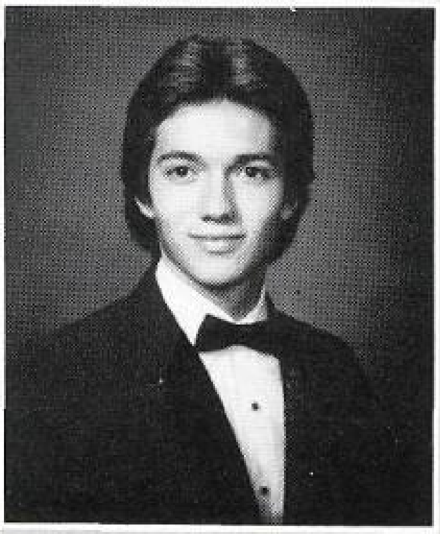

Martin David Lafferty

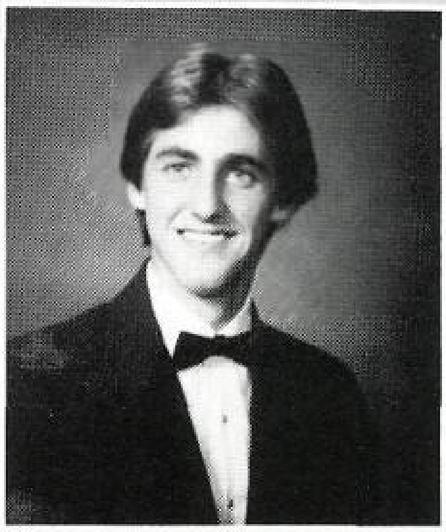
Sharon Leigh Jones


Tammy Loren Jones


Kent Kelch


Kimberly Denise Kelley


Jeffrey Scott Key


Denis Martin Lackey

Winner, Most Likely to Succeed, Who's Who in Mid-American Foreign Language Students, Century III Scholarship School Winner, National Science Olympian.

Johnson, Jay Douglas.

Jones, Amanda LeAnne. *Science Club 10, 4-H Club 10-11.*

Jones, Sharon Leigh. *Science Club 10, FHA-HERO 10-11, Pep Club 10-12, OEA-TOEC 12, Home Economics Award 10, Most Talented,* **Gold Dust** *Staff 11, Clubs and Organizations Editor 12; Interact 12, Office Worker 12,* **Bulldog Bark** *Staff 11-12.*

Jones, Tammy Loren. *OEA-TOEC 10-12, Pep Club 11-12.*

Judkins, Sonja. *Pep Club 10-11, Art Club 12.*

Kelch, Kent. *ROTC 10-12.*

Kelley, Kimberly Denise. *Tennis 10-12, Pep Club 10-11, FHA-HERO 12.*

Key, Jeffrey Scott. *National Honor Society 11-12, Key Club 11, President 12; Mu Alpha Theta 11-12, Beta Club 10-12, Science Club 11, Reporter 12; Interact 12, VICA 12, FCA 12, Pep Club 10-12, S Club 10-12, Tennis 10-12.*

Lackey, Denis Martin. *National Honor Society 11-12, Mu Alpha Theta 11-12, ROTC 10-11, Band 10, Bookkeeping I Award 11, Rifle Team 10.*

Lafferty, Martin David. *Wrestling 10, Science Club 11-12, VICA 12.*

Lawrence, John W. *ROTC 11-12.*

Lenfant, Lisa Michele. *Science Club 10, 12; Flag Girl 11, Pep Club 10, 12; Officer Worker 12.*

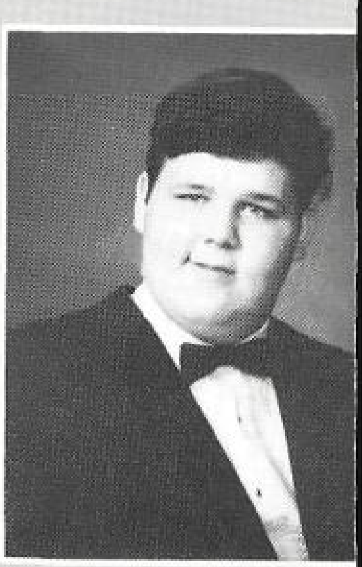
Lewis, Phillip. *Gold Dust Staff 11-12, Assistant Editor 12;* ***Bulldog Bark*** *Staff 11-12, Beta Club 10-12, French Club 10, Interact 11-12, Drama Club 10-12, Sergeant at Arms 11; VICA 12, Pep Club 10-12, Art Club President 12, Who's Who in Mid-American Foreign Language Students.*

Loughren, Paula Jean. *FHA-HERO 11-12.*

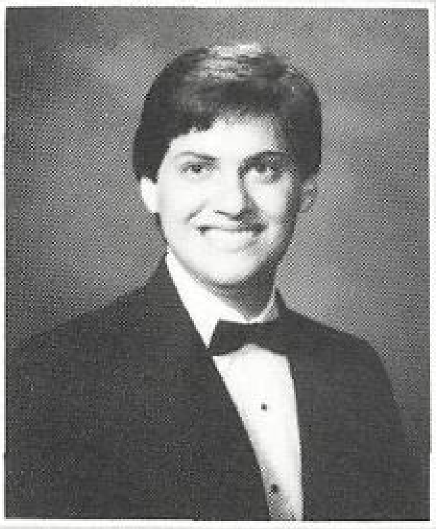
Loux, Doug. *Student Council President 12, National Honor Society 11, Vice President 12; Mu Alpha Theta 11, Reporter-Historian 12; Key Club 11, Secretary-Treasurer 12; FCA 12, Pep Club 10-12, Tennis 10-12, Interact 12, Beta Epsilon 11-12, Who's Who in Mid-American Foreign Languages, Exchange Club Student of the Month, English Academic Award 10-11, S Club 10-12, Academic Excellence 10-11, Best All Around Boy, 2nd place magazine drive, Science Club 12.*

Loyd, Wanda. *Band 10, Science Club 10-12, STEP Club 10, ROTC 10-11, FHA-HERO 12, Drama Club 10-12, Interact 11, Secretary 12; Library Worker 12, 4-H Club 10-12, Honor Club 10-12, All-Stars 10-12, County Treasurer 11-12, Volunteer Leader 10-12, Congress Delegate 11, Exchange Student, Junior Achievement.*

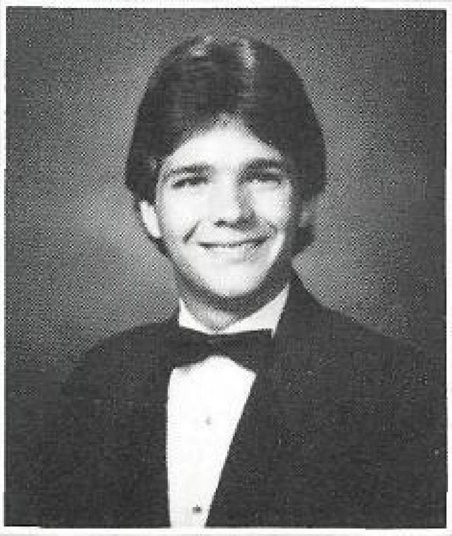
Lusk, John. *VICA 12.*


John W. Lawrence

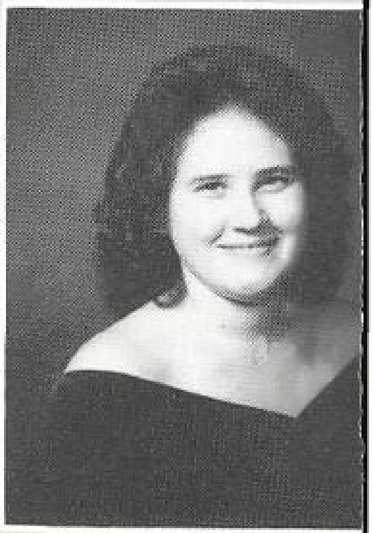
Lisa Michele Lenfant

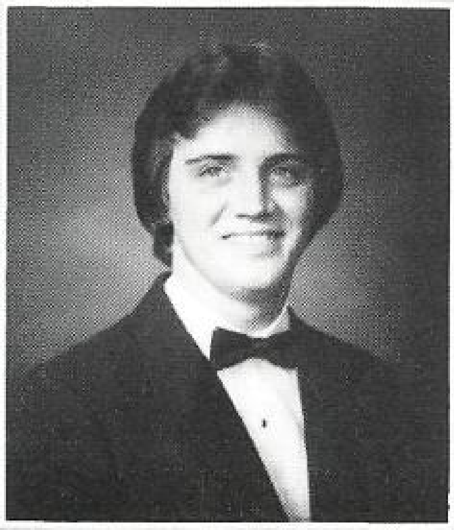

Phillip Lewis

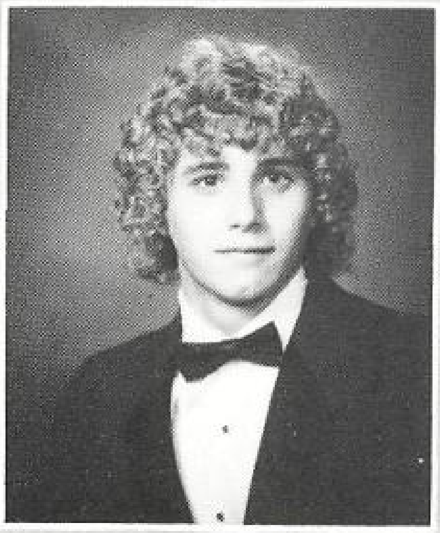
Paula Jean Loughren


Doug Loux

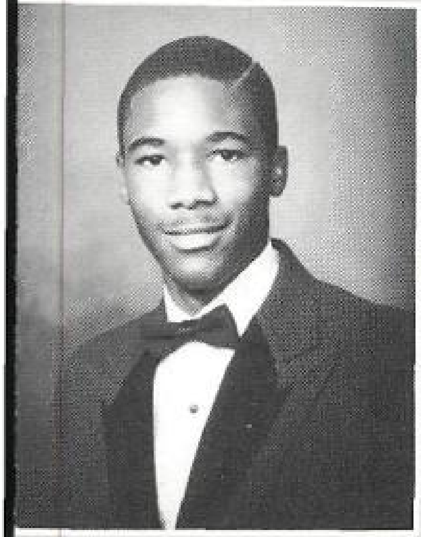
Robin Lowery

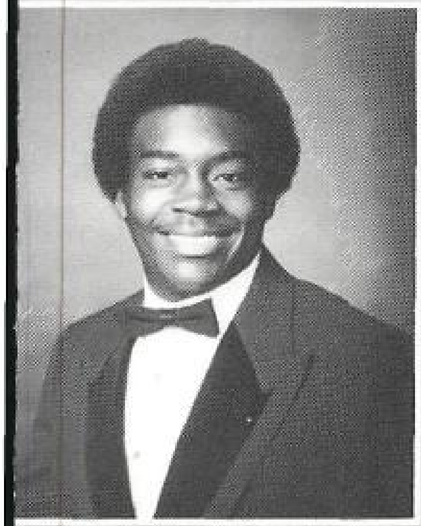

Wanda Loyd

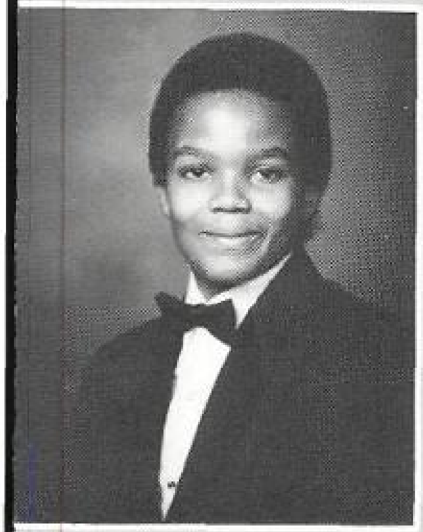

John Lusk

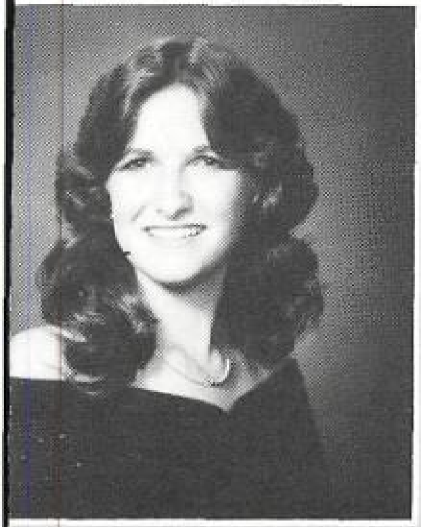

Keith Maddux

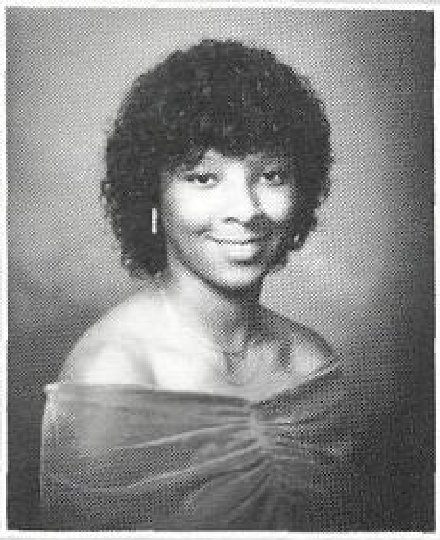
Bonita Malone

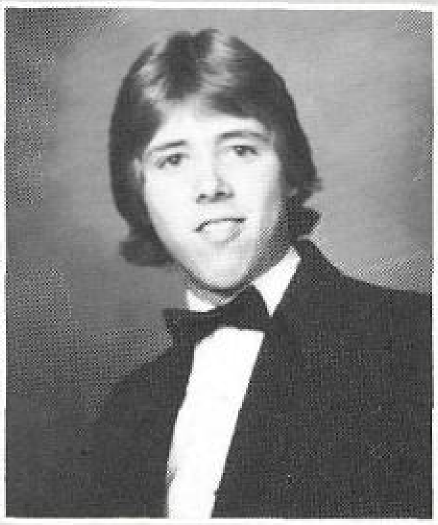

Ernest Malone


William Lus Malone

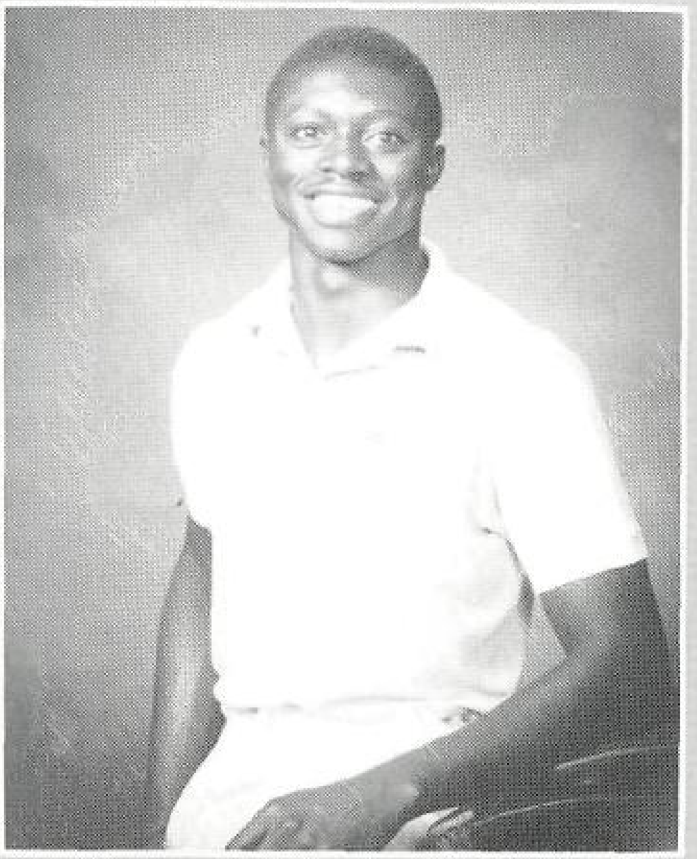

Gary Martin


Eugenia Michelle Mastin


Valerie Yvette Malone


James E Marlin

Tywanta Rocheil Martin

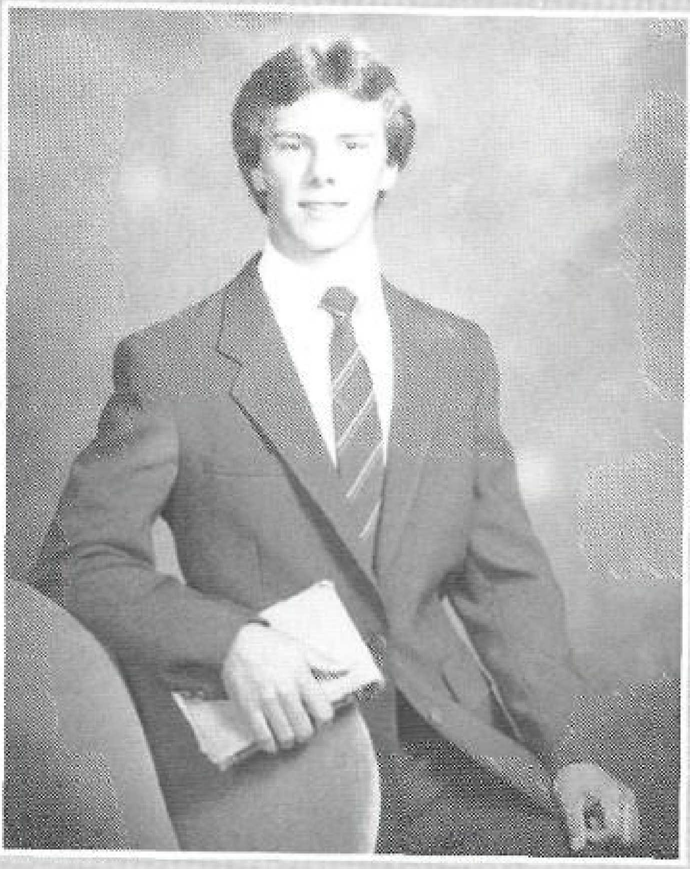


Danforth Award

Mr. Raikes also selected ***Isiah Kelley*** *to receive the Danforth Award. Both* ***Isiah*** *and* ***Deborah*** *will receive a copy of the book* ***I Dare You*** *at graduation. This book is symbolic of the award itself.*

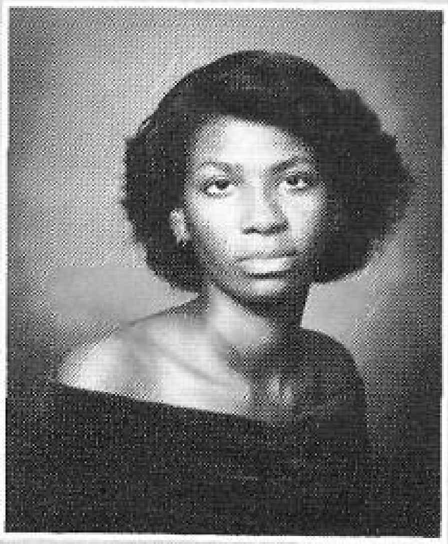
Marlin, James E. *VICA 11.*
Martin, Gary.
Martin, Tywanta Rocheil. *FHA-HERO 10-12, Pep Club 10-11, Basketball 10.*
Mastin, Eugenia Michelle. *Beta Club 10-12, Pep Club 10-11, French Club 10, Flag Girl 11, Drama Club 11, Teacher's Aide 12, Chorus 10-12, Vice President 11; OEA-TOEC 11, Stateswoman Award 11, Diplomat Award 11, Ambassador Award 11, Society of Distinguished American High School Students.*

Mayes, Martin Deloris.
McClain, Teresa Lynn. *FHA-HERO 11, Treasurer 12; Cross Country 10-11, Chorus 11, Teacher's Aide 12, Pep Club 12.*
McClure, Amanda Gail. *Beta Club 10-12, Marching Band 10-11, Concert Band 10-11, Jazz Band 11, Vocal Music Representative 11, French Club 10, Career Day Hostess 11.*
McCoin, Kathleen. *Library Worker 11, Pep Club 11, Tennis 11-12, Career Day Hostess 11, VICA 12, Interact 12, FCA 12, Key Club 12.*
McCormick, Jeff. *FFA 10.*
McCrary, David Ellis. *ROTC 10, Pep Club 11.*
McCutcheon, Sheryl Marie. *FHA-HERO 10, Pep Club 12, OEA-TOEC 12.*

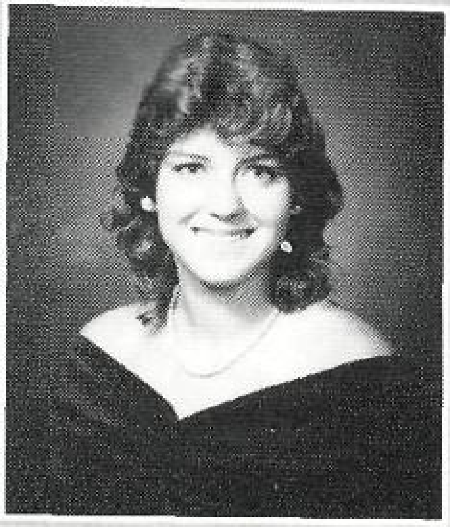


S.A.R. Award

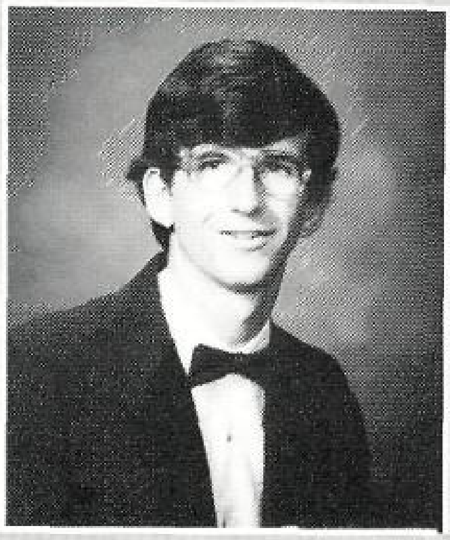
The Sons of the American Revolution presents the S.A.R. award to a senior boy each year. Because of his moral character, sensitivity toward others, and good citizenship, **Brad Miller** *was chosen by the faculty to receive this honor. Brad, a very active student, is a member of the Science Club, Mu Alpha Theta, Interact, Key Club, S Club, Pep Club, Computer Club, Beta Club, Miller's Men, football team, and basketball team. During his senior year he served as president of both the Science and Mu Alpha Theta Clubs. Brad was voted Cutest Boy by the members of his class, and he served as a co-captain on both the football and basketball teams.*



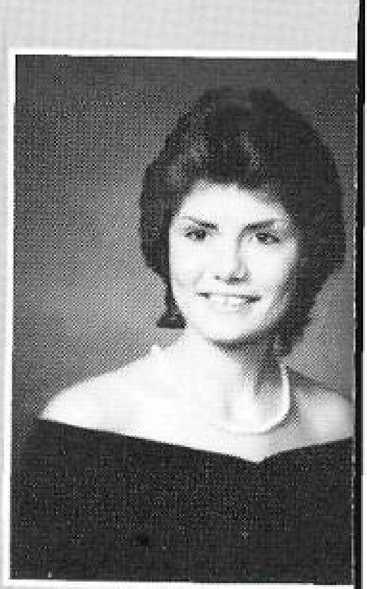
Deloris Mayes Martin



Amanda Gail McClure

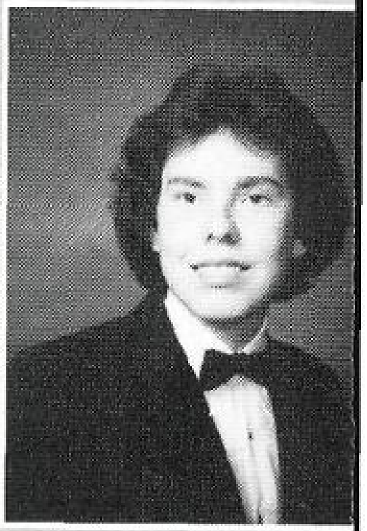


Jeff McCormick



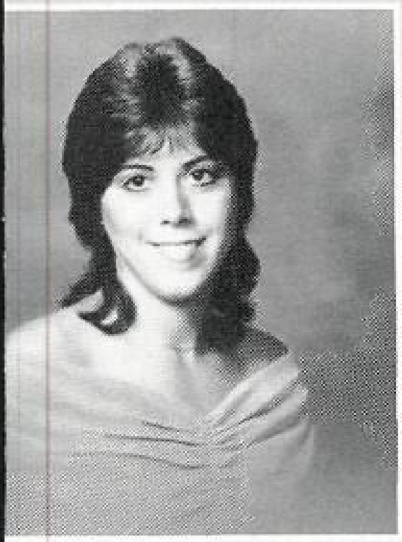
Teresa Lynn McClain

Kathleen McCoin

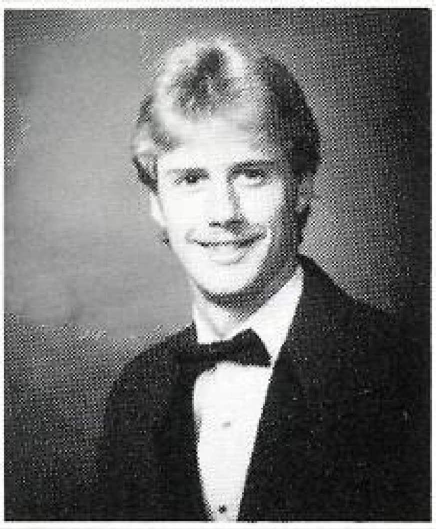


David Ellis McCrary

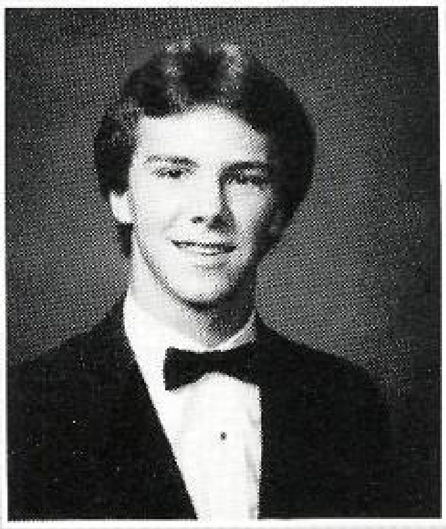
Sheryl McCutcheon



Tina McKnight

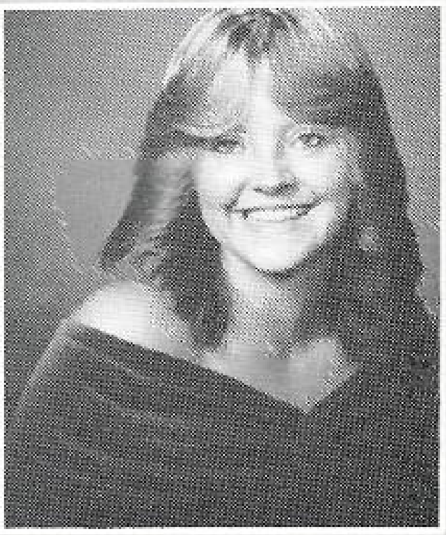


Thomas Mefford

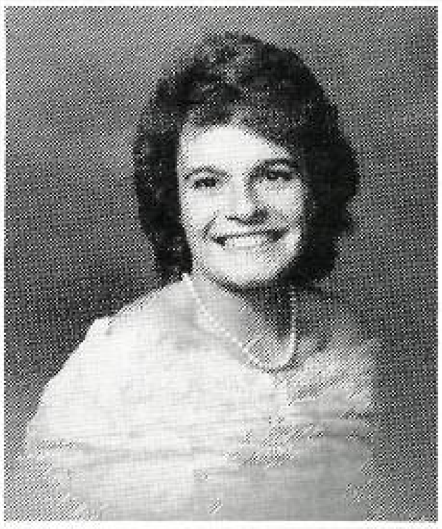


Bradley Allen Miller

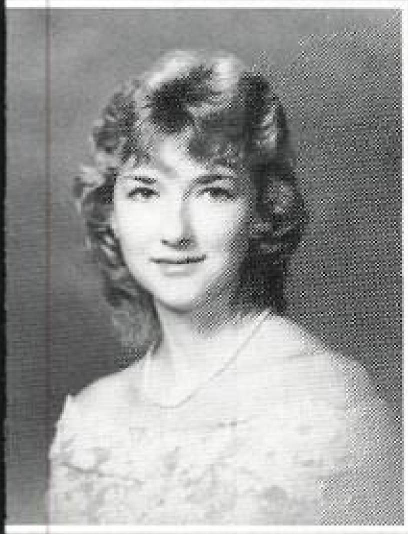
Pamela F. McNeese



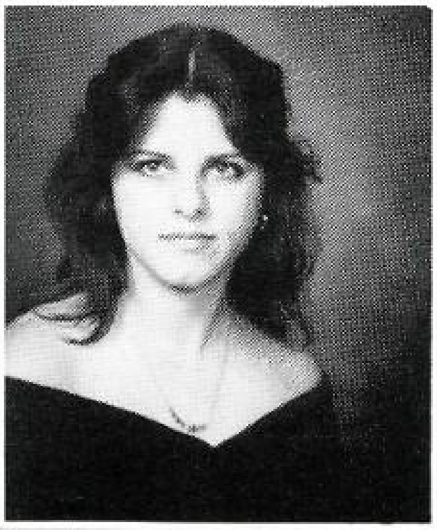
Mary Mitchell



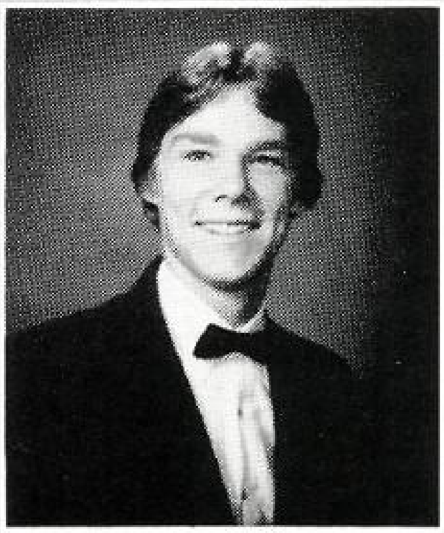
Deborah Renee Moore



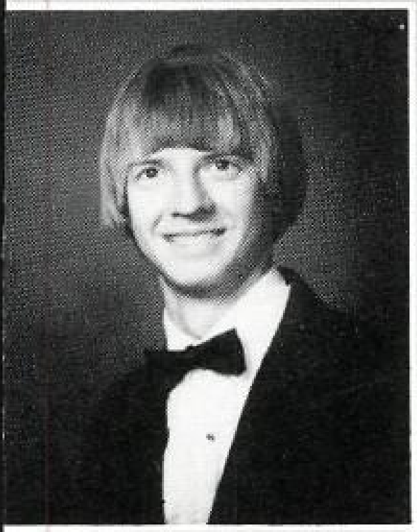
Melanie Joan Mingle



Cindy Jeanette Morgan



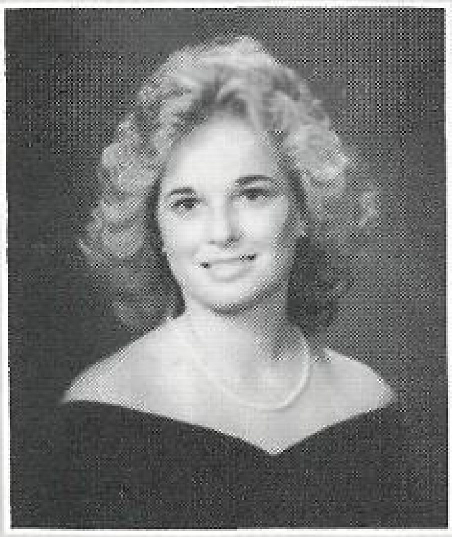
Kerry Morris

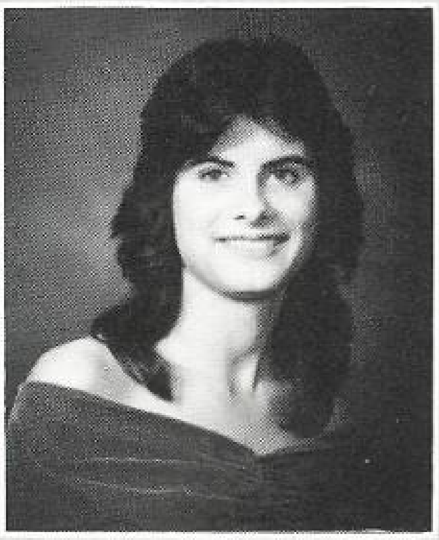


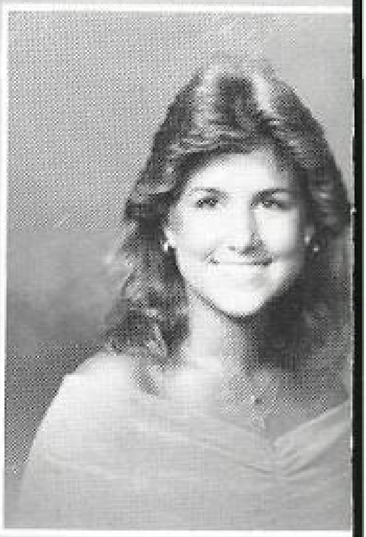
Mark D. Moore

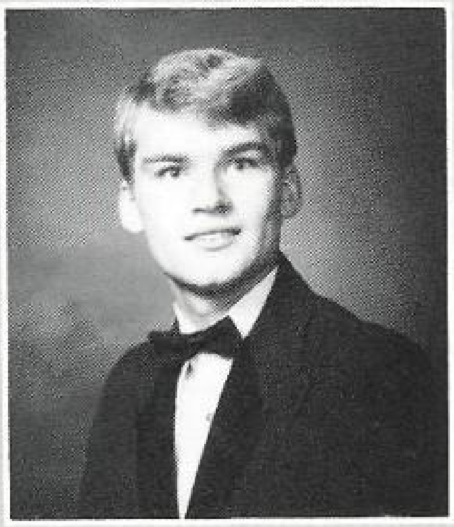
McNeese, Pamela F. *Transfer student from Whites Creek High School, FFA 10, Cheerleading 10, Softball 10, VICA 10, Drama Club 10, ROTC 11, OEA-TOEC 12.*
Miller, Bradley Allen. *Science Club 10-11, President 12; Mu Alpha Theta 11, President 12; Interact 12, Key Club 12, S Club 10-12, Pep Club 10-11, Computer Club 12, Beta Club 12, Varsity Basketball 10-11, Co-Captain 12; Varsity Football 11, Co-Captain 12; SAR Award 12, Miller's Men 12, Cutest Boy.*
Mingle, Melanie Joan. *Pep Club 10-12, Beta Club 10-12, OEA-TOEC 11, National Honor Society 11-12, Who's Who Among American High School Students, Band 10.*
Moore, Deborah Renee. *Mu Alpha Theta 11-12, Science Club 11-12, Interact 12, Who's Who Among American High School Students, Who's Who in Mid-American Foreign Language Students, Spanish Club 11, Pep Club 11-12, Computer Club 12, Guidance Worker 12, Career Day Hostess 11.*
Moore, Mark D.
Morgan, Cindy Jeanette. *FHA 10, OEA-TOEC 11, VICA 12.*
Morris, Kerry. *Football 11-12, All-Midstate Punter 12, Basketball 10-12, Beta Club 11-12, Key Club 12, Mu Alpha Theta 11-12, FCA 10-12, Interact 12, Best Personality.*

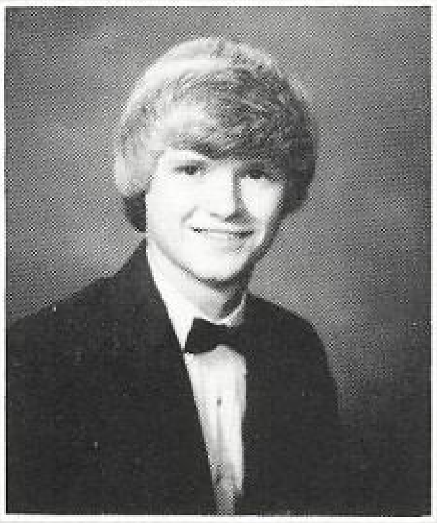
Morrison, Julie Lynn. *Student Council 10, Pep Club 11-12, VICA 11, Reporter 12; STEP Club 12, Science Club 12, Interact 12, French Club 10.*
Moss, Donna Michelle. *FHA 12.*
Mucerino, Nancy C. *Student Council 10, Pep Club 10-12, OEA-TOEC 11, FHA 12.*
Mullenax, Dean Mitchell. *Marching Band 11-12, Concert Band 11, Pep Band 11, Pep Club 11, Drama Club 11-12, Interact 12, Library Aide 12, Teacher's Aide 12.*
Murphy, Monty Clay. *Pep Club 12.*
Murphy, Scott. *Beta Club 10-12.*
Murray, Dave M. *Pep Club 11-12, VICA 11-12, FFA 10-12.*
Nagy, Michael L. *Football 10, FFA 10, VICA 12.*
Naron, Jamie Lea. *FHA 10-11, Secretary 12; Interact 12, Pep Club 10-12, Science Club 10-11, Softball 11, Teacher's Aide 12.*
Nash, Hunter William Morton. *Beta Club 10-12, Science Club 10-11, Vice President 12; Pep Club 10-12, Interact 12, FCA 12, S Club 12, STEP Club 12, Student Council 10, 12; Art Club 12, Key Club 12, Football 11-12, Tennis 10-12.*

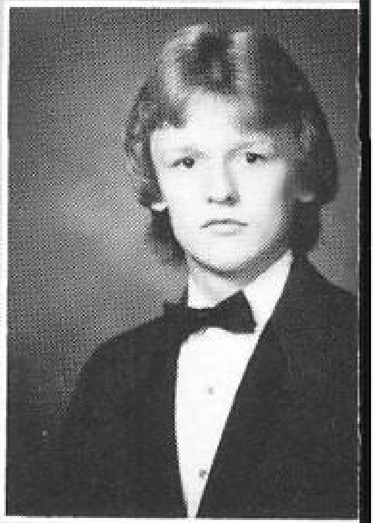

Julie Lynn Morrison

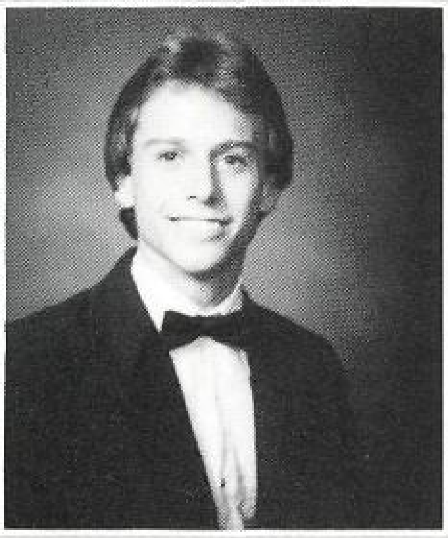

Donna Michelle Moss

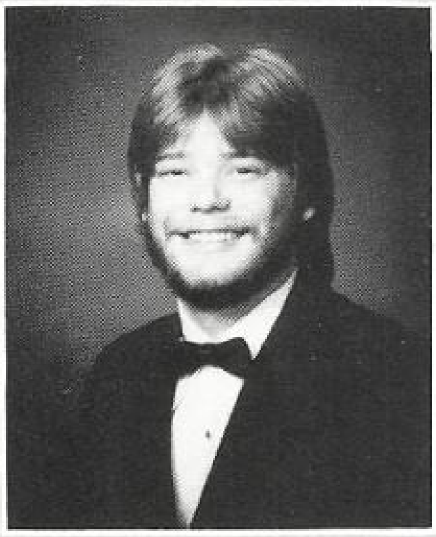

Nancy C. Mucerino

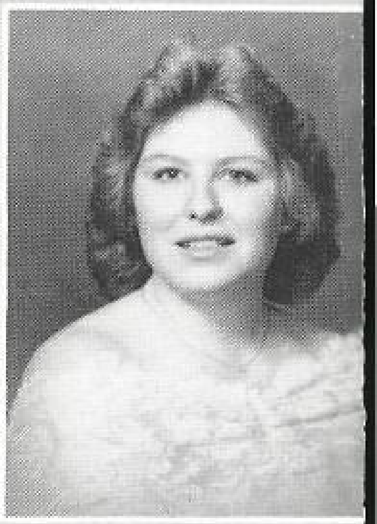

Dean Mitchell Mullenax

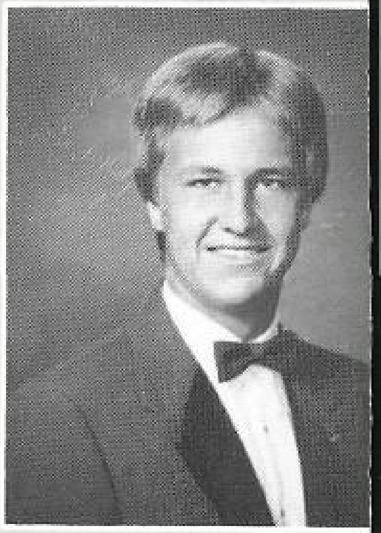

Monty Clay Murphy

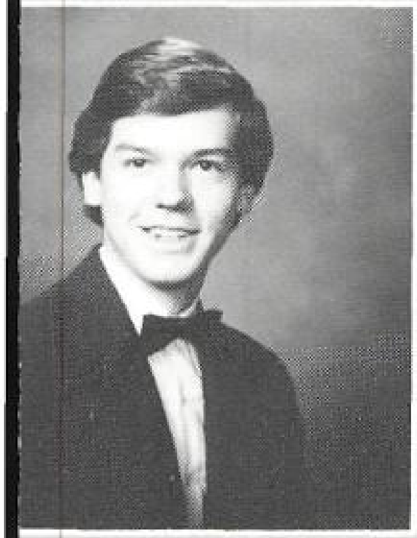

Scott Murphy


Dave M. Murray

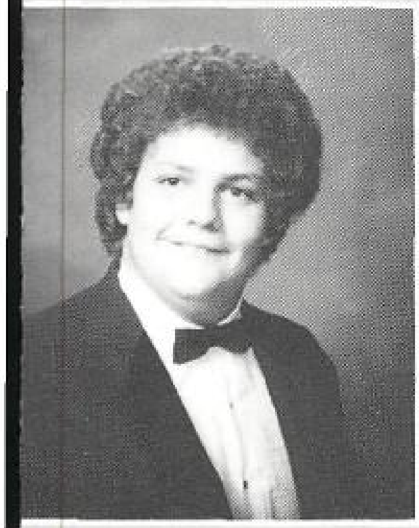

Michael L. Nagy


Jamie Lea Naron

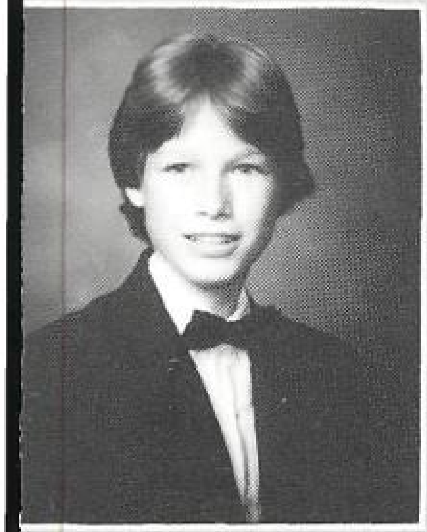

Hunter William Morton Na



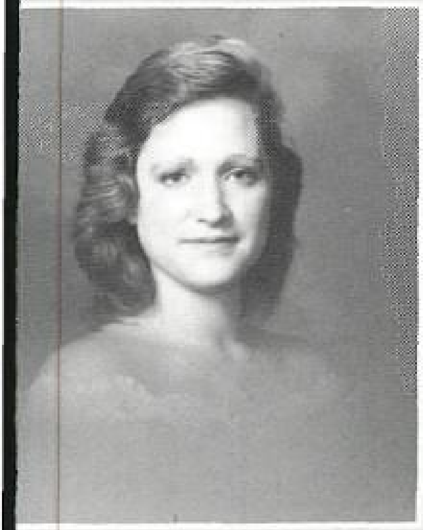
Lee Michael Newman



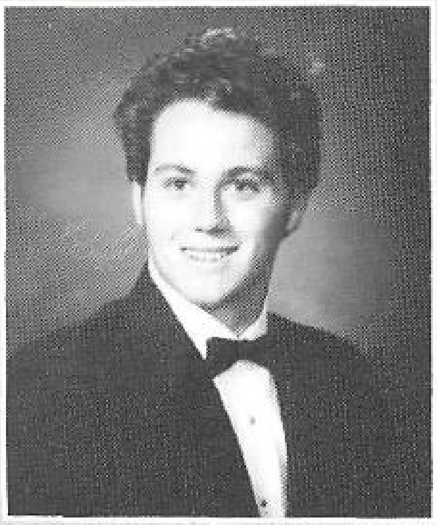
Wayne Richard Newman Jr.



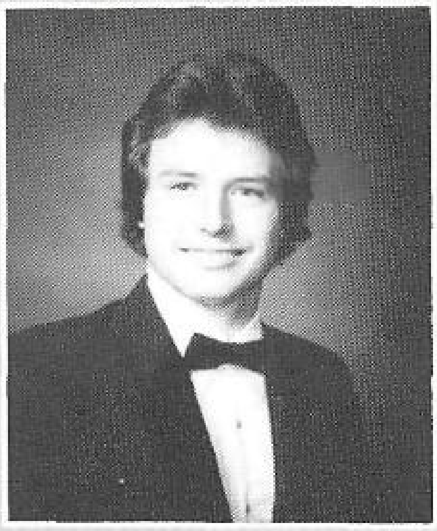
William James O'Herron



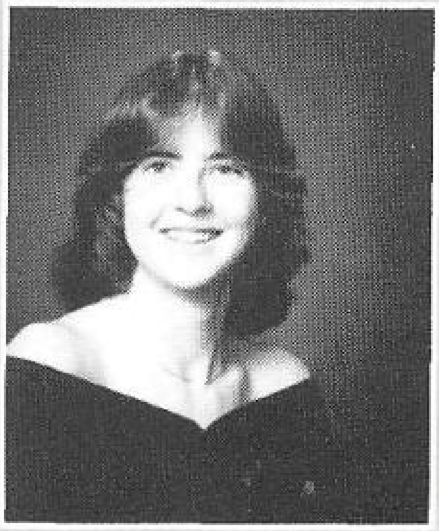
Kimberly Ann Paison



Charles Ray Norfleet



Michael Todd Oldfield



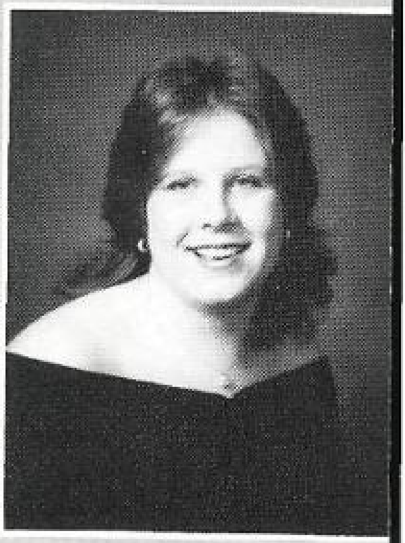
Natalie Christine Parker

D.A.R. Award

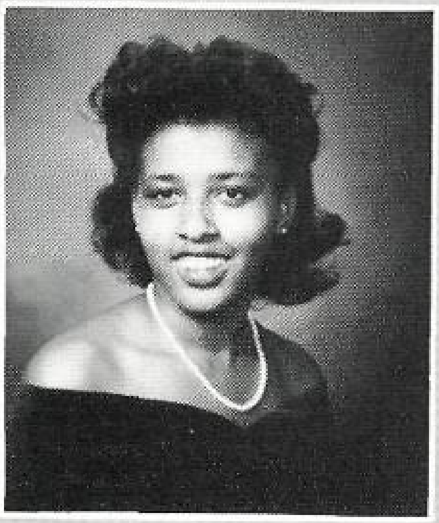
Each year, the Daughters of the American Revolution honor a senior girl who exemplifies outstanding traits in scholarship, leadership, and integrity. Receiving this year's D.A.R. award is ***Martha Harris,*** *a student who is actively involved in school and community projects. Martha's dedication has paid off during her high school years. She has been involved with many organizations including the National Honor Society, Beta Club, Student Council, OEA-TOEC, and Pep Club. She was voted class treasurer during her junior year, Most Likely to Succeed during her senior year, and Exchange Club Student of the month during her senior year. Martha was a winner of the MTEMC High School Essay Contest and a National Voting Delegate at the OEA National Conference in Chicago. Martha is truly deserving of the D.A.R. Award.*

Nelson, Timothy Jay. *VICA 12.*
Newman, Lee Michael. *Pep Club 10-11, STEP Club 10, Science Club 11, Cross Country 10, VICA 12, French Club 10-11, Who's Who Among American High School Students.*
Newman, Wayne Richard Jr. *Pep Club 10-12, VICA 11.*
Norfleet, Charles Ray. *S Club 11-12, Pep Club 10-12, Baseball 10, Football 11-12.*
O'Herron, William James. *Art Club 12.*
Oldfield, Michael Todd. *ROTC 10, Drill Team 10, Color Guard 10, Traffic Detail 10, Shipp's Crew 11.*
Owens, Mishael. *Band 10, Flag Girl 10, ROTC 10-11.*
Paison, Kimberly Ann. *ROTC Drill Team 10-11, FHA-HERO 12, OEA-TOEC 10.*
Parker, Natalie Christine. *Beta Club 10-12, French Club 11, French Honor Society 12, Science Club 11-12, Pep Club 11, Computer Club 12, French I Award 11, Who's Who Among American High School Students.*

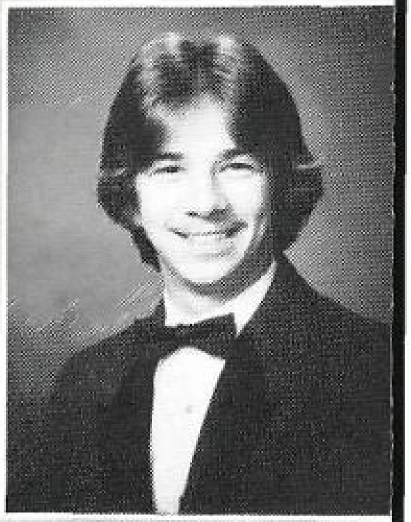
Parman, Kerri Sue. *OEA-TOEC 10-11, Secretary 12; ROTC 10-12, Traffic Detail 11, Drum and Bugle 10-11, Beta Club 11-12, Library Club 12.* ***Patton, Susan Lyne.*** *ROTC Drill Team 10, ROTC 10-12, Traffic Detail 11-12, Teacher's Aide 12, Pep Club 10.* ***Paul, Eddie.*** *Marching Band 10-12, Pep Band 10-12, Jazz Band 10-12, Concert Band 10-12, FFA 10-12.* ***Percha, Kimberly Anne.*** *Key Club 10-12, Sweetheart 10; Secretary-Treasurer 11; Softball 10, Pep Club 10, Cheerleader 11-12, Science Club 11-12, Beta Club 11-12, Student Council 11, Mu Alpha Theta 11-12.* ***Perry, Dale.*** *ROTC Drill Team 10-11, Honor Guard 11.* ***Peyton, Allison Ann.*** *Office Worker 12, French Club 10, Secretary 11; Art Club 12, Who's Who in Mid-American High Schools in Foreign Languages, Pep Club 10-12, Science Club 11, Beta Club 10-12.* ***Pharris, Melanyee Elizabeth.*** *Band 10, Flag Girl 11, Pep Club 12, FHA-HERO 12.*



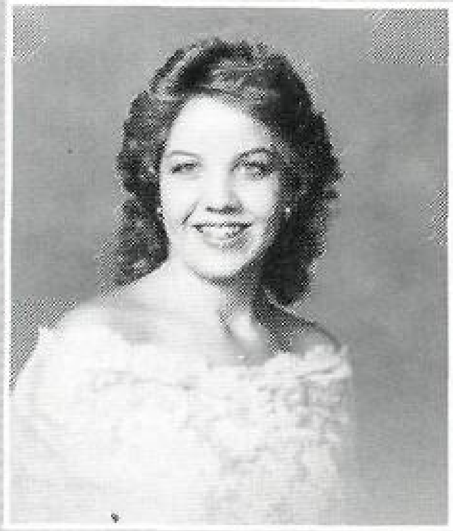
Kerri Sue Parman



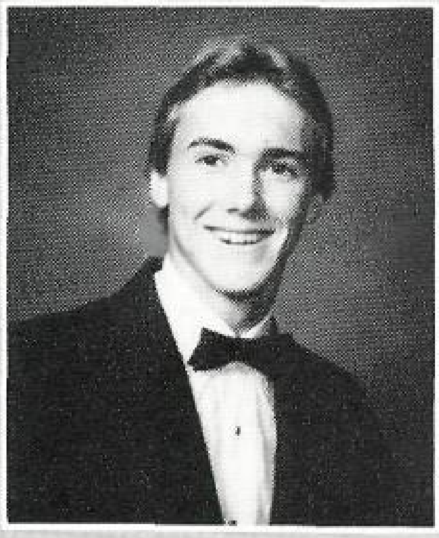
Sherry Parrish



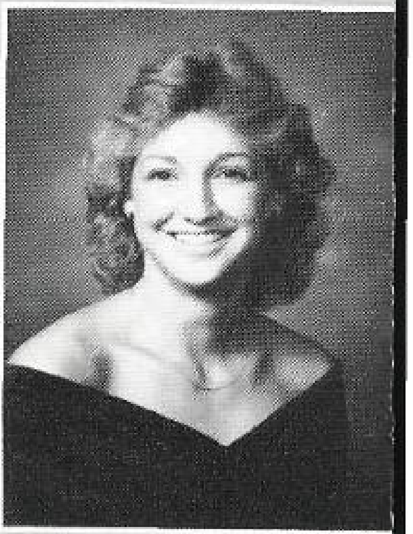
Timmy Parsons



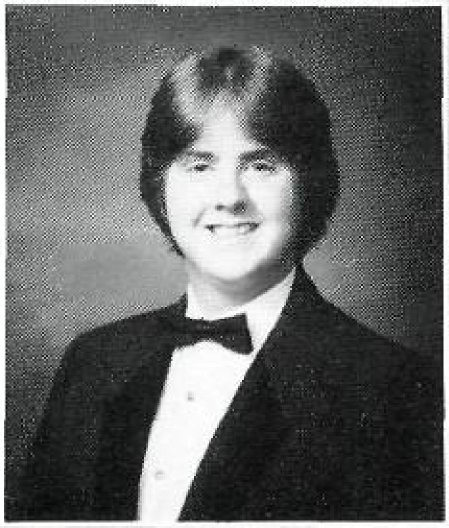
Susan Lyne Patton



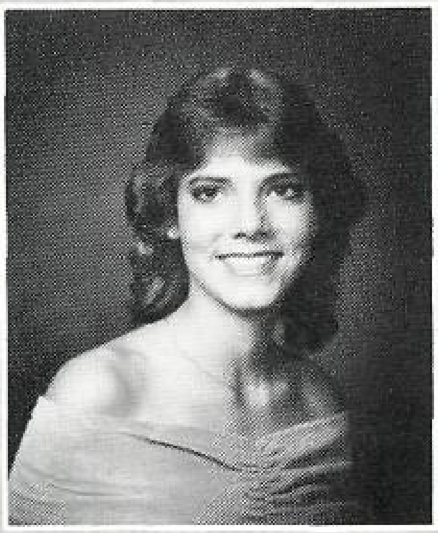
Eddie Paul



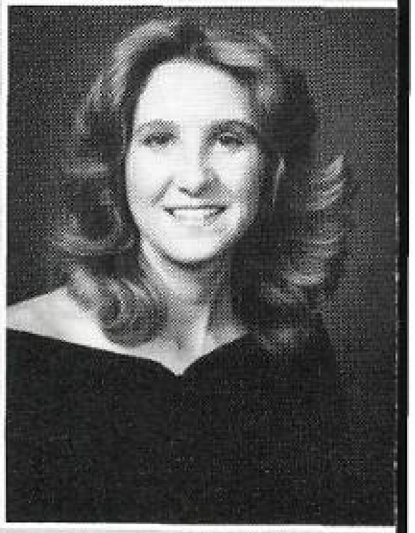
Kimberly Anne Percha



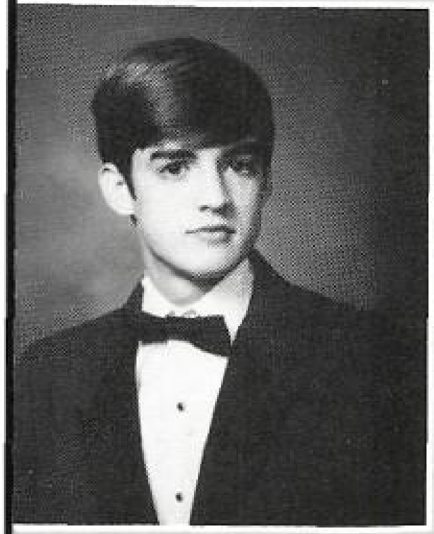
Dale Perry



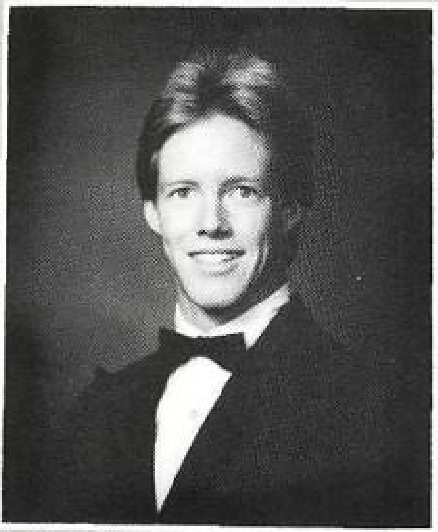
Allison Ann Peyton



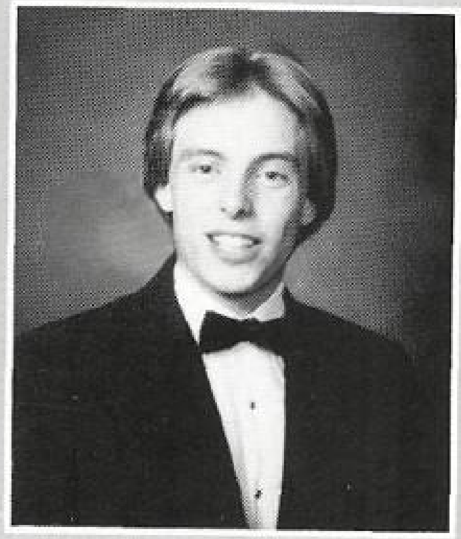
Melanyee Elizabeth Pharris



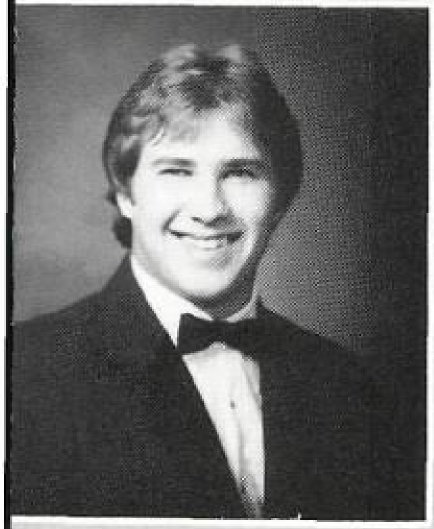
Irvin Richard Phelan Jr.



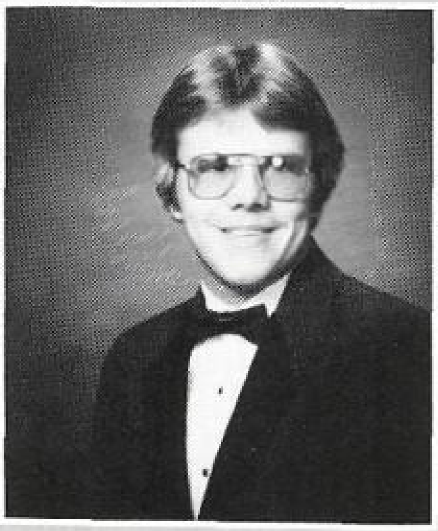
Mark Lee Pickel



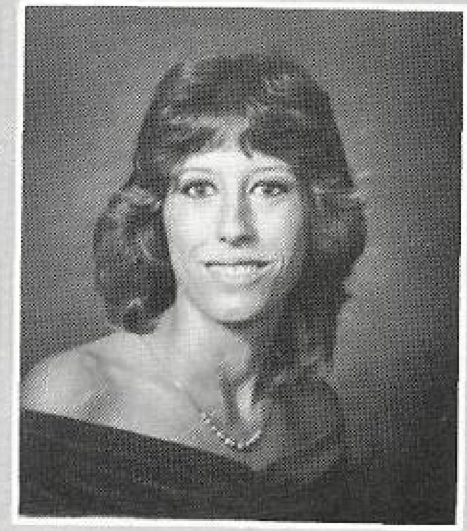
Jerry Pickle



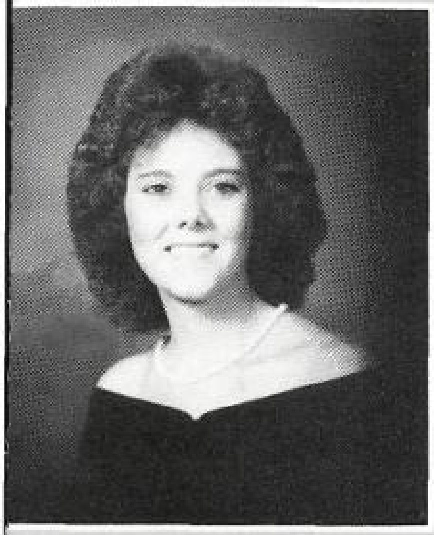
Kevin Eric Piercy



Danny Pitts



Robin Renee Pollard



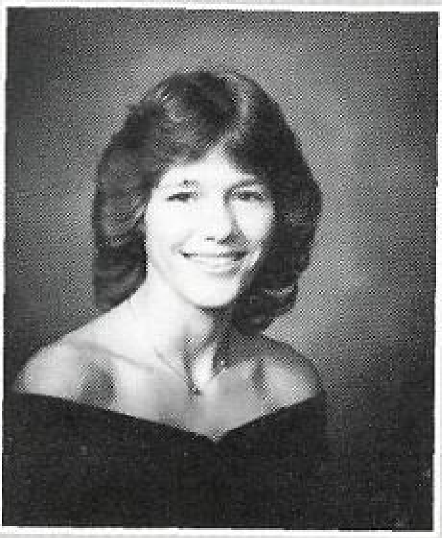
Deborah Ann Pope

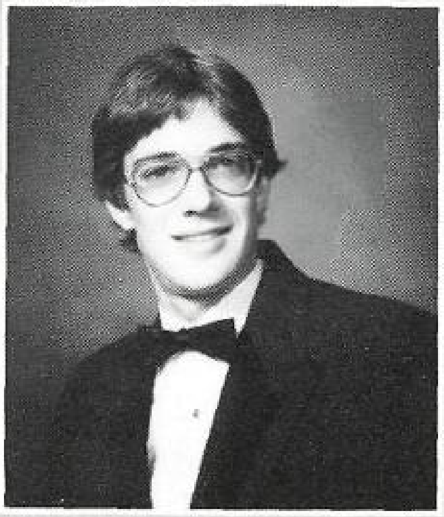
Lisa Ann Pope

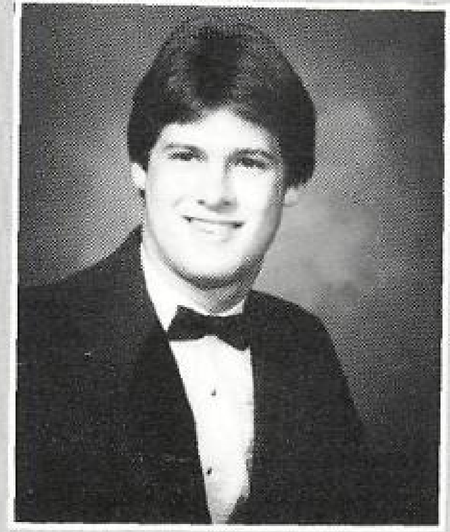
Rhoda Renise Potts

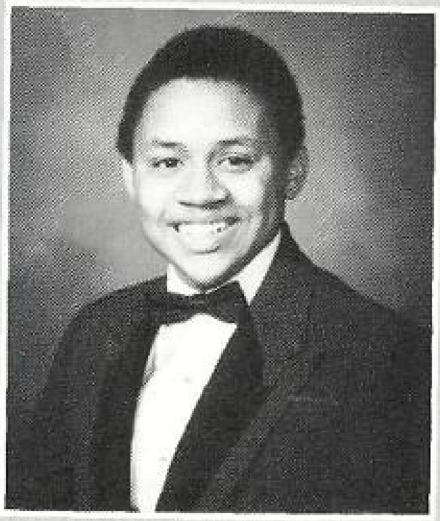
Phelan, Irvin Richard Jr. *Beta Club 10-12, Science Club 10-12, VICA 11-12, Mu Alpha Theta 10-11.*
Pickel, Mark Lee. *FCA 10-12, Key Club 10-12, Boys' State 11, National Honor Society 11-12, Mu Alpha Theta 11, Treasurer 12; Interact 12, Teacher's Aide 12, Football 10-12, S Club 11-12, Who's Who Among American High School Students, Distinguished American High School Students, Best Dressed Boy.*
Pickle, Jerry. *ROTC Drill Team 10-11, VICA 12, Industrial Arts Club 10.*
Piercy, Kevin Eric. *Pep Club 11-12, VICA 12, Baseball 10-12, FFA 10, Building and Trades 12.*
Pitts, Danny. *FFA 10-11, VICA 11-12.*
Pollard, Robin Renee. *ROTC 10-12.*
Pope, Deborah Ann. *Chorus 10-11, Select Chorus 11, VICA 12.*
Pope, Lisa Ann. *Pep Club 11, FHA-HERO 12.*
Potts, Rhoda Renise. *VICA 12.*

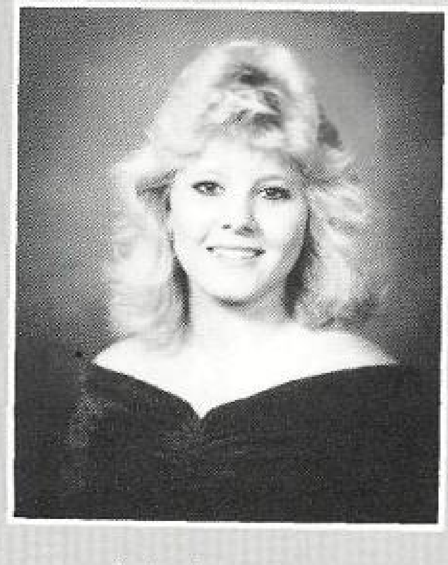
Prosser, Doris Elaine. *4-H Club 10, Science Club 10, FHA-HERO 10, STEP Club 10, Pep Club 10-11, Basketball 10, OEA-TOEC 12.*
Raborn, Baker Ely. *Key Club 10-12, S Club 10-12, FCA 11-12, Football 10-12.*
Ralston, Kathleen Carole. *Student Council 10-12, FCA 11-12, STEP Club 11-12, Science Club 11-12, S Club 11-12, Pep Club 10-12, Interact 12, FHA-HERO President 12, Tennis Team 10-12, Most Valuable Player 11; French Club 10-11, Guidance Worker 12, Who's Who Among American High School Students, Friendliest Girl.*
Redmond, James Andrew. *Band 11, ROTC 10-12, Drum and Bugle Corps 12.*
Reed, Janice Lanay. *Pep Club 10-12, Student Council 10.*
Reep, Debra Ann. *Science Club 10, Pep Club 10-12, French Club 10, Mu Alpha Theta 11, Guidance Worker 12, Who's Who Among American High School Students.*

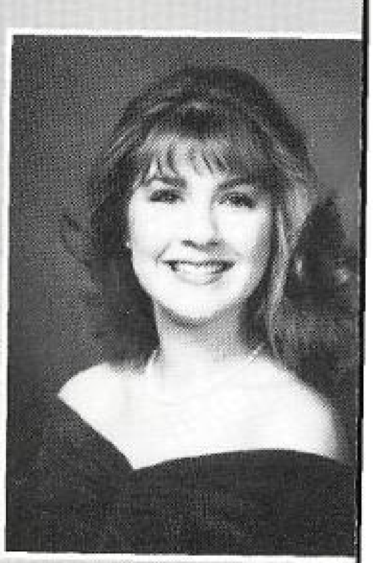

Doris Elaine Prosser

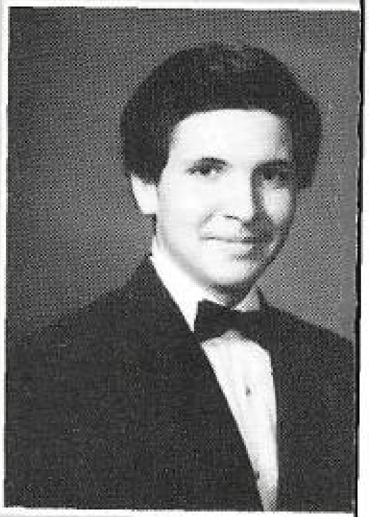

Von Raymer

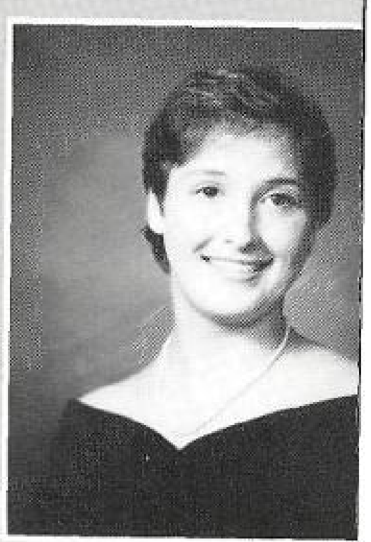

Baker Ely Raborn

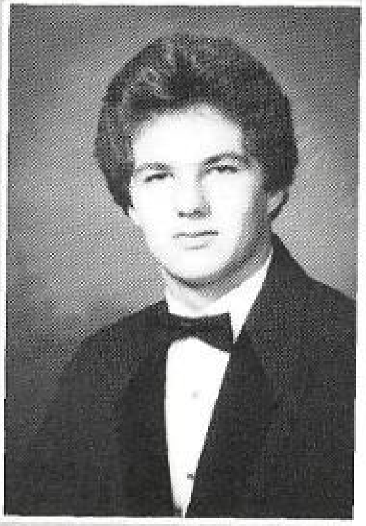

James Andrew Redmond

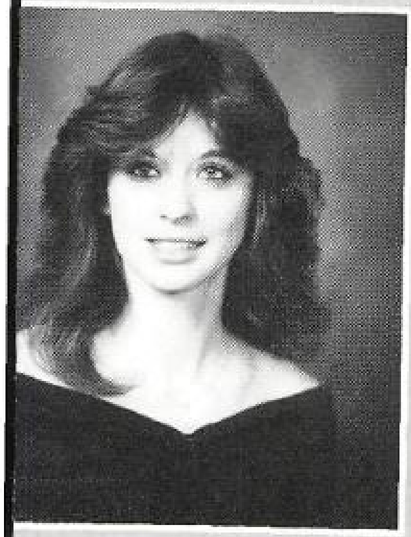

Janice Lanay Reed


Kathleen Carole Ralston

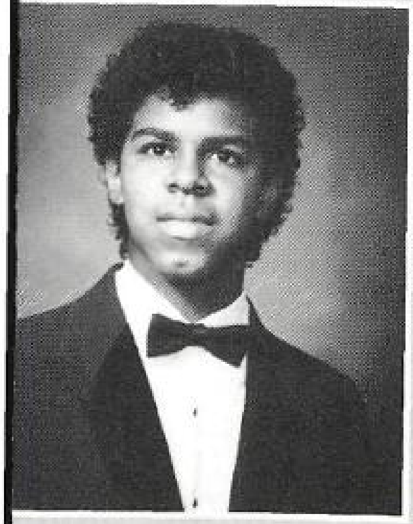

Ronnie Reece


Debra Ann Reep

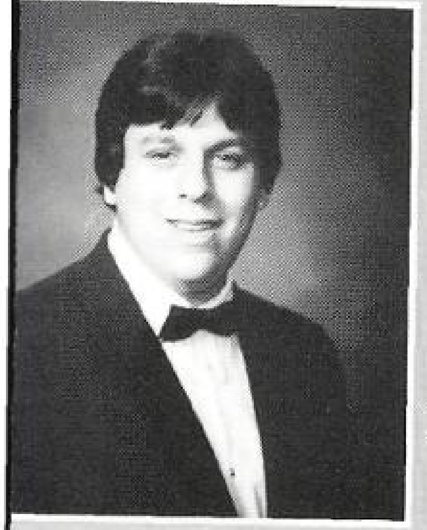

Mike Reese



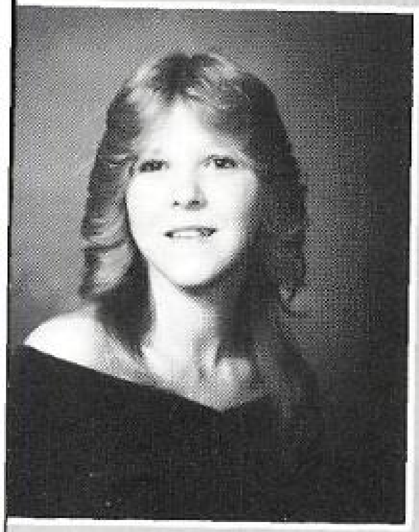
Nancy Richardson



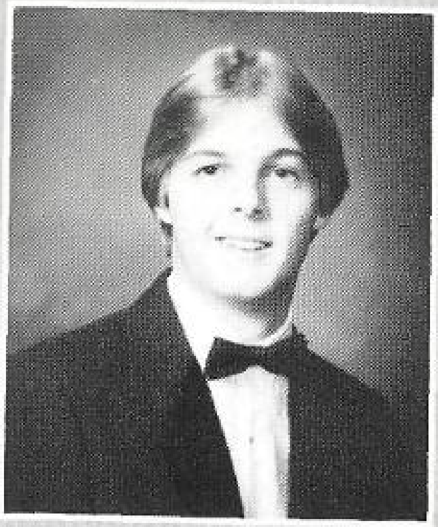
Vincent Todd Richardson



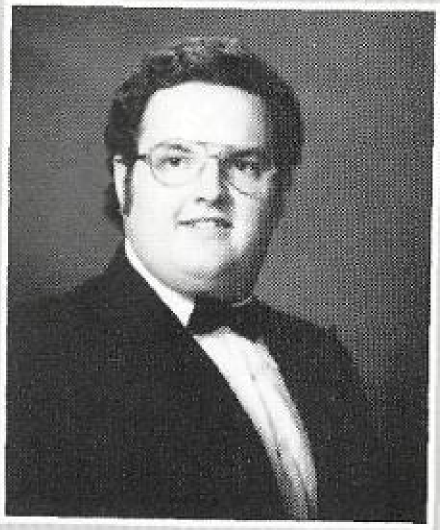
Trevor Allen Rifkin



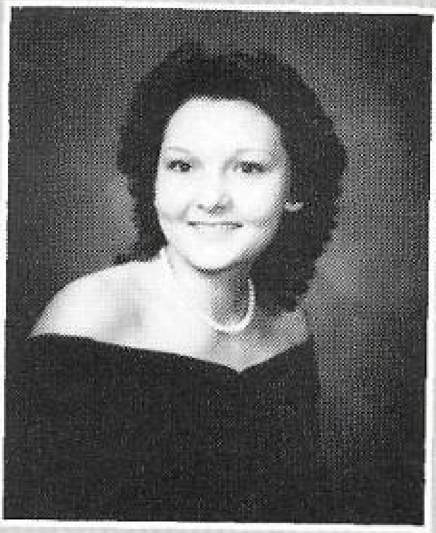
Donna Roberson



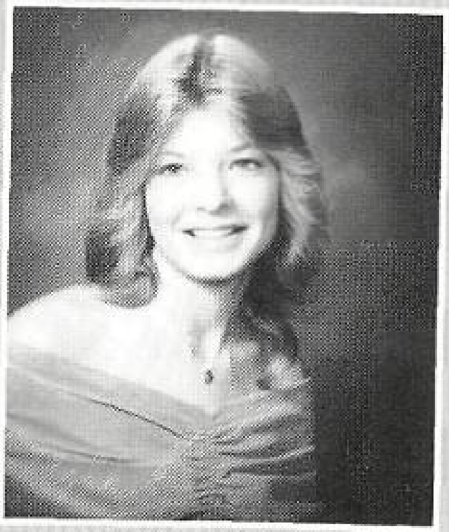
James Steven Richeson II



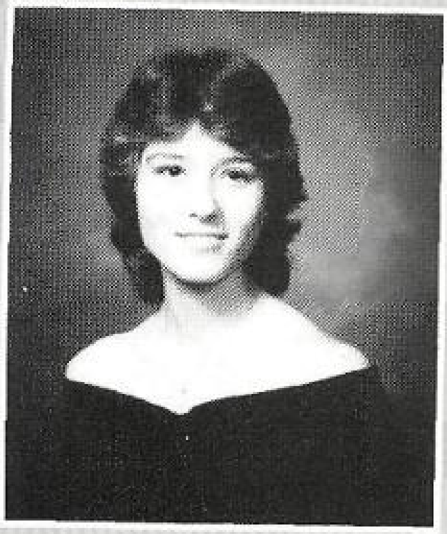
James Cecil Rippy



Cynthia Marie Roberts



Shannon A. Robbins



Renee Robinson

Richeson, James Steven II. *Pep Club 10-12, Science Club 11-12, Computer Club 12.*

Rifkin, Trevor Allen. *Beta Club 10-12, Key Club 11-12, Mu Alpha Theta 11-12, Pep Club 10-12, Football 10-11, Basketball 12, Interact 11-12, Science Club 10-12, S Club 10, Teacher's Aide 12, Computer Club 12.*

Rippy, James Cecil. *Pep Club 11-12, Interact 11, President 12; 4-H Club 11, President 12; Science Club 11, Secretary 12;* ***Gold Dust*** *staff 11, Business Manager 12;* ***Bulldog Bark*** *staff 11-12, STEP Club 11-12, FCA 11, S Club 11-12, Teacher's Aide 12, Office Worker 11, Football Manager 10-11, Junior Achievement, MTEMC Essay Winner, Best School Spirit.*

Robbins, Shannon A. *ROTC 10.*

Roberts, Cynthia Marie. *VICA 12, Pep Club 10-11.*

Robinson, Renee. *ROTC 10-12, Traffic Detail 10-11, Drum and Bugle 10-11, Battalion Staff S-1 12, FHA 11-12, Beta Club 11-12, Chorus 10.*

Rowlett, Thomas F. Jr. *FFA 10-12, Rangers 10-12, Industrial Arts 10, Color Guard 10-12, Pep Club 11, 4-H Club 12.*

Russell, Suzy. *Science Club 10, Pep Club 10-12, French Club 10-11.*

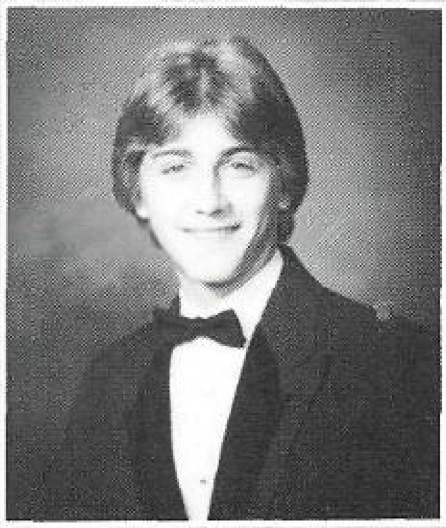
Sanders, Valerie Denise.

Scales, Tracy Ganiece. *Pep Club 11, FHA 11.*

Schwager, Sharon J. *Pep Club 10-12, FHA 11-12.*

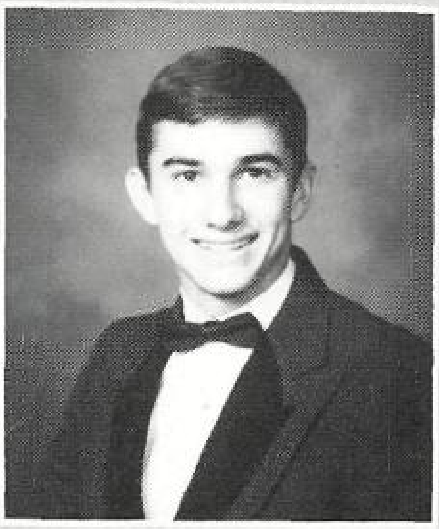
Scott, Susan. *ROTC 10-11, Drill Team 11, FHA-HERO 10, Drama Club 10-11, Art Club 12, OEA-TOEC 12.*

Sexton, Carol. *ROTC 10-12, Female Drill Team 10.*

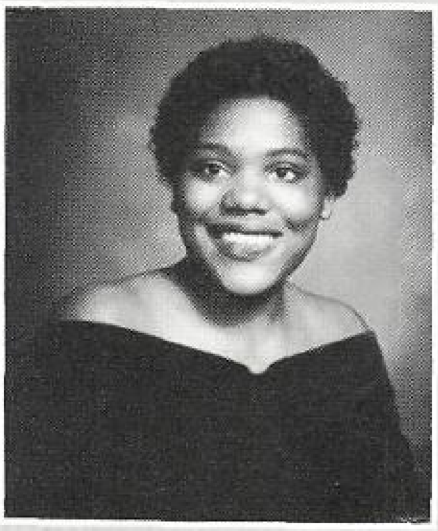


Michael Ryan

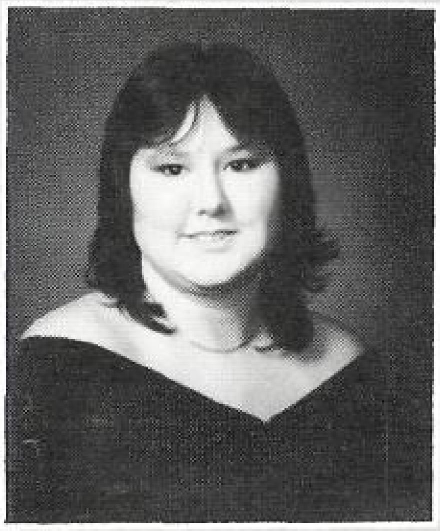
Sharon J. Schwager



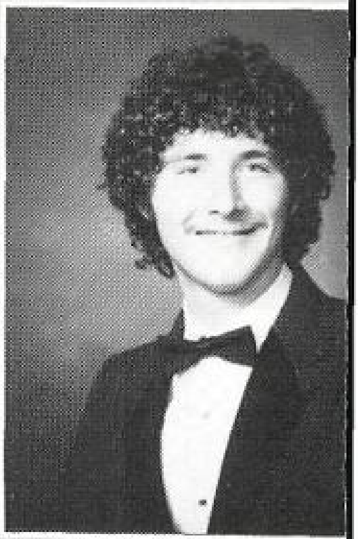
Thomas F. Rowlett Jr.



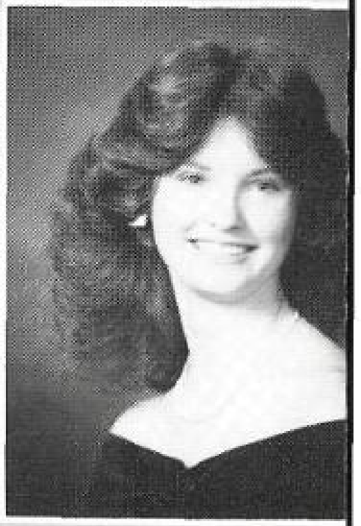
Valerie Denise Sanders



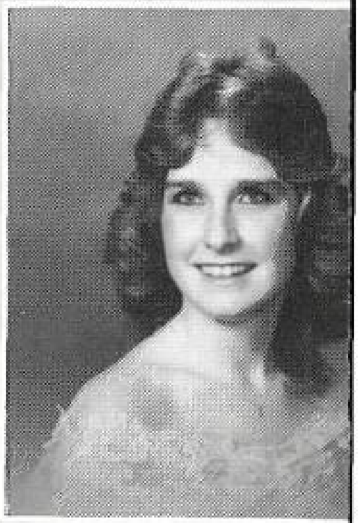
Susan Scott



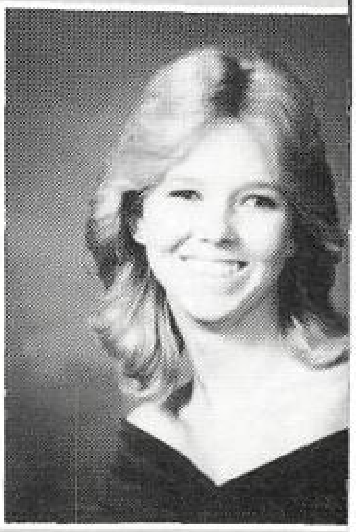
Jeff Ross



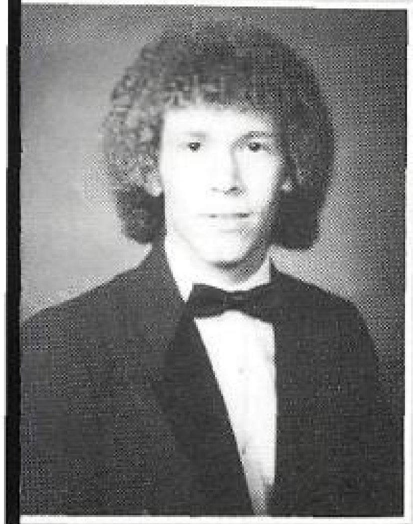
Suzy Russell



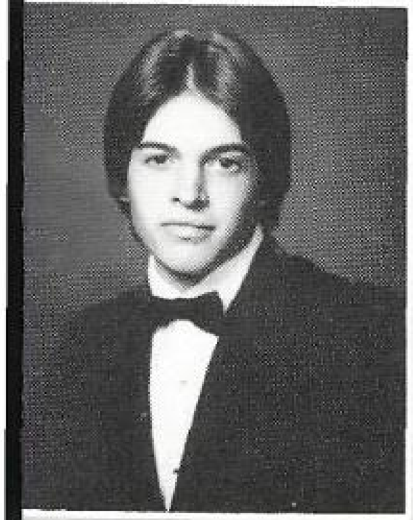
Tracy Ganiece Scales



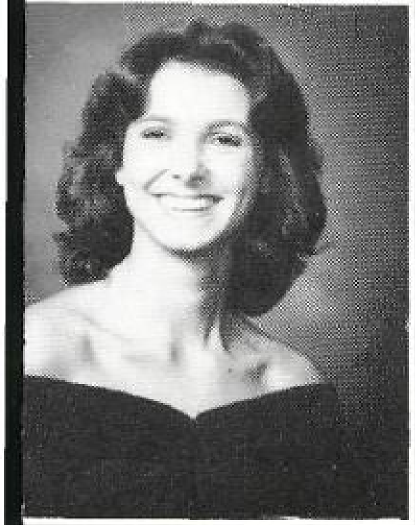
Carol Sexton



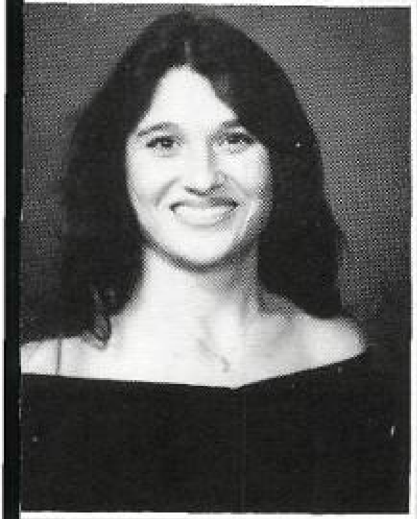
Eddie Shaffer



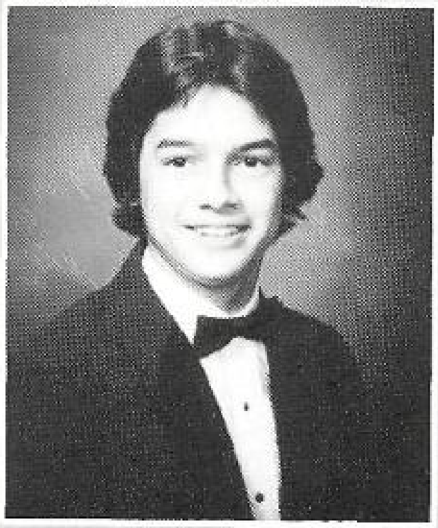
Stephen M. Short



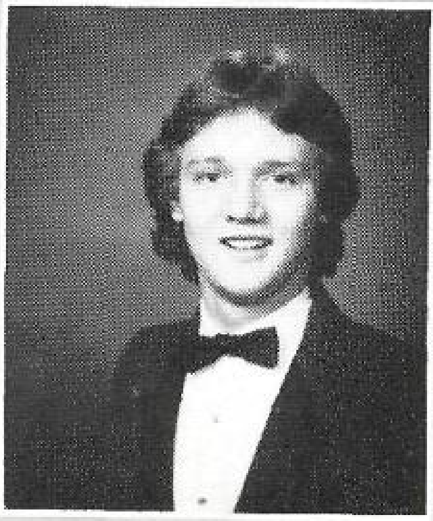
Wanda Simmons



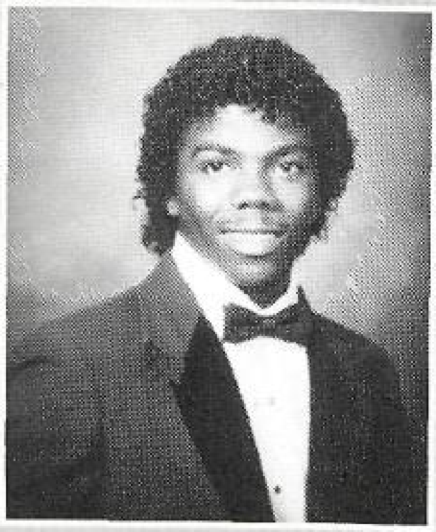
Elizabeth Ann Simpson



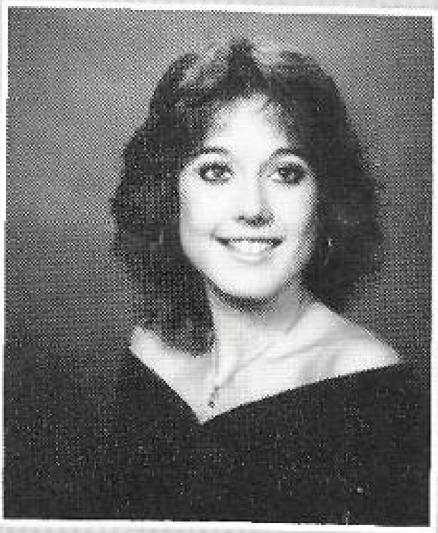
Tim Shearon



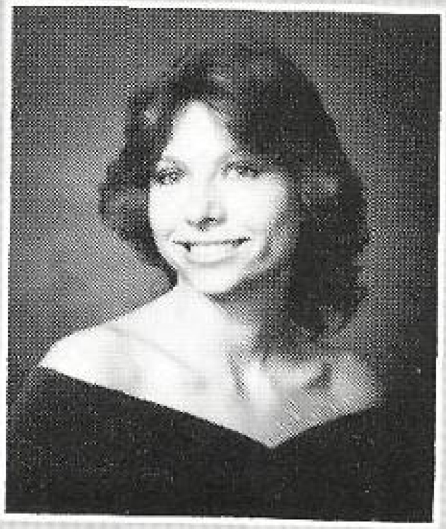
Michael Gene Shultz



Anthony Simpson



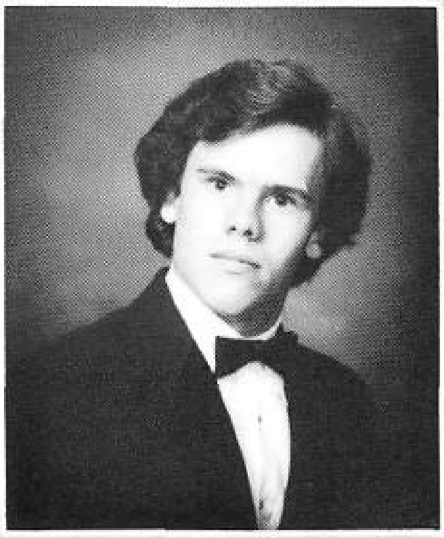
Kathy Sue Shinn

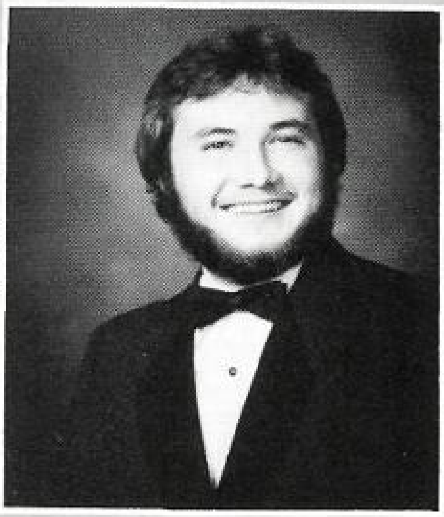


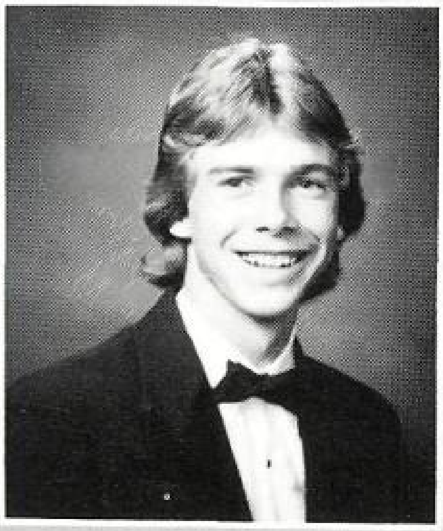
Rhonda Lee Sievert

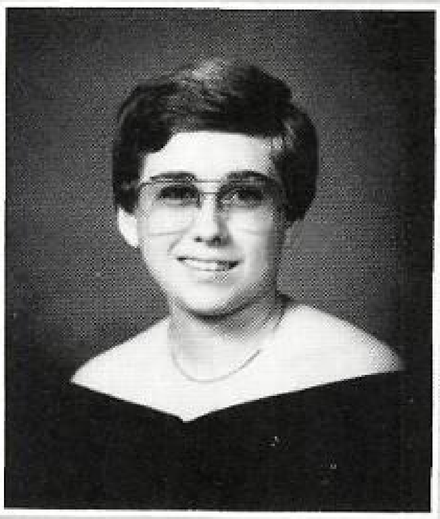
Shaffer, Eddie.
Shinn, Kathy Sue. *ROTC 10-11, Sophomore Attendant, OEA-TOEC 11, VICA 12.*
Short, Stephen M. *Golf Team 12.*
Shultz, Michael Gene. *Football 11, Pep Club 10-12.*
Sievert, Rhonda Lee. *VICA 12.*
Simpson, Anthony. *Pep Club 10, VICA 12.*
Simpson, Elizabeth Ann.

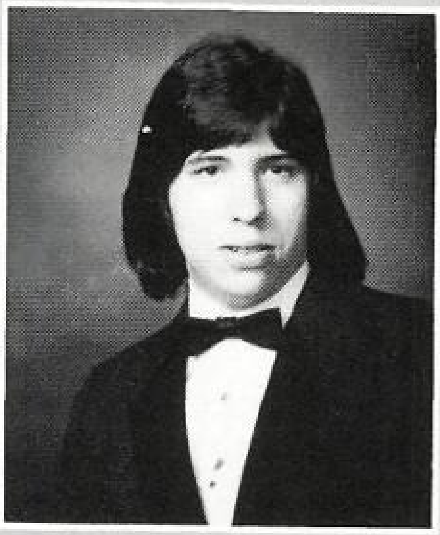
Sims, Joseph Allen.
Singleton, Walter Floyd.
Sisco, Kenneth A. *ROTC 10, FFA 10.*
Sisk, Fred W. *VICA 12, ROTC 10.*
Skaggs, Cassandra Diane. *Science Club 10-12, STEP Club 11-12, 4-H Club 12, FHA-HERO 12, Band 10-11, Concert Band 10, ROTC 10-12, Drill Team 11-12, Color Guard 12, Traffic Detail 11, Pep Club 11-12.*
Smart, Dennis T. *Key Club 11-12, Art Club 12, S Club 12, Pep Club 12, FCA 12, Miller's Men.*
Smith, Bryan D.
Smith, Kristie L. *Female Drill Team 10-11, Pep Club 10, Computer Club 12.*
Smith, Terry L. *Pep Club 11-12, Computer Club 12.*

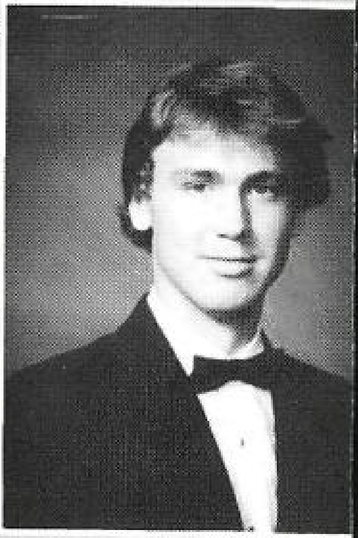

Joseph Allen Sims

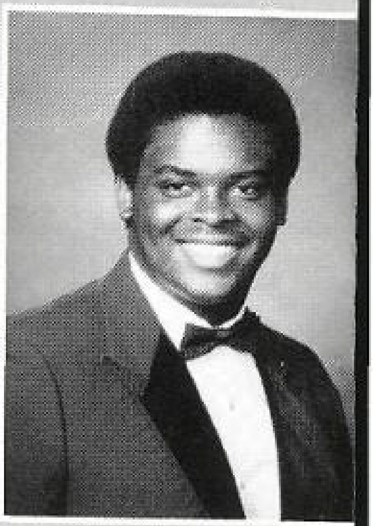

Fred W. Sisk

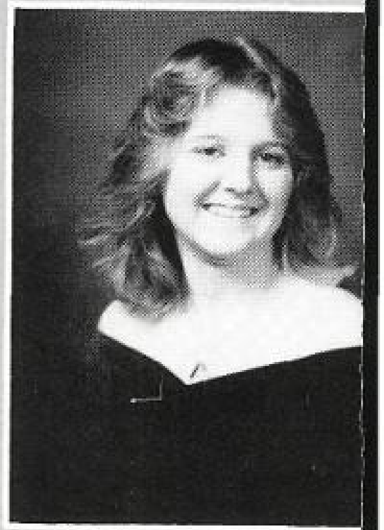

Walter Floyd Singleton

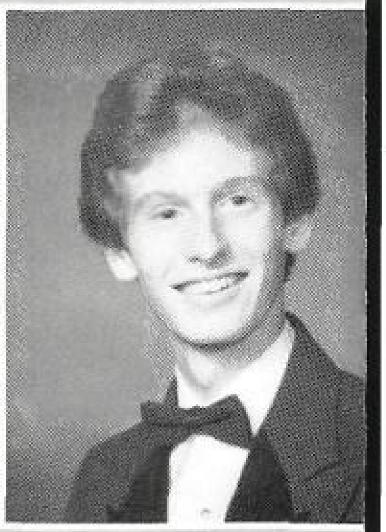

Cassandra Diane Skaggs

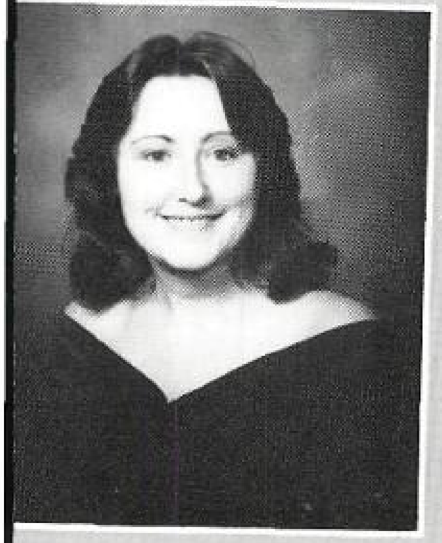

Bryan D. Smith


Kenneth A. Sisco

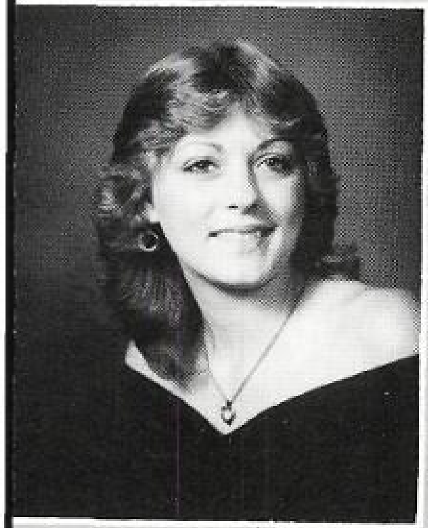

Dennis T. Smart


Kristie L. Smith

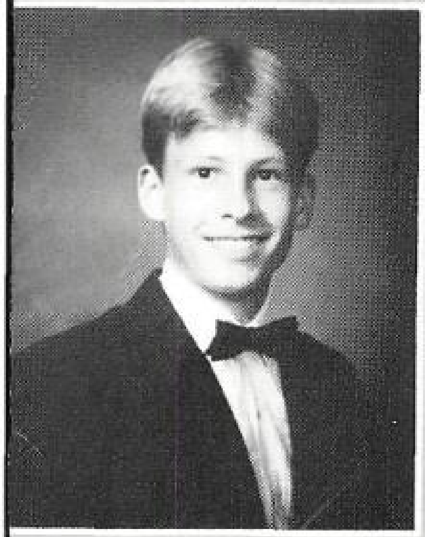

Terry L. Smith



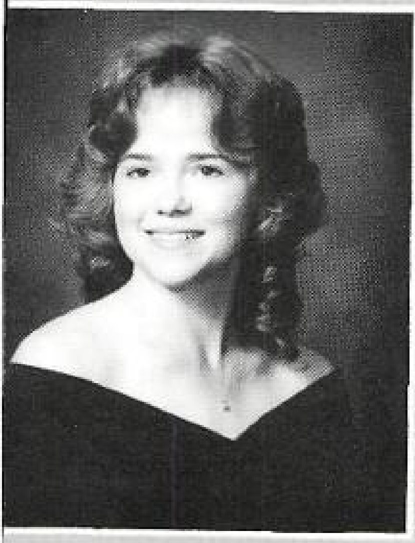
Anita F. Smithey



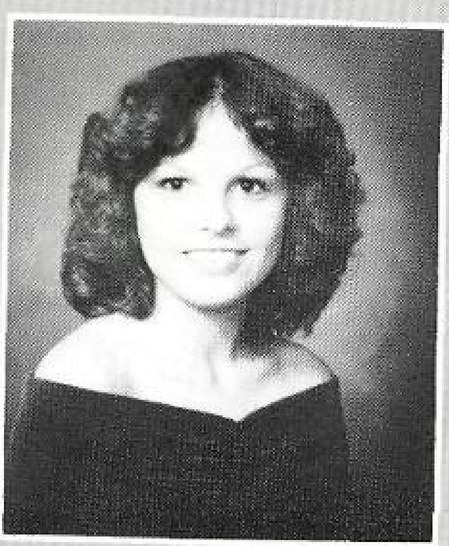
Kassie Stack



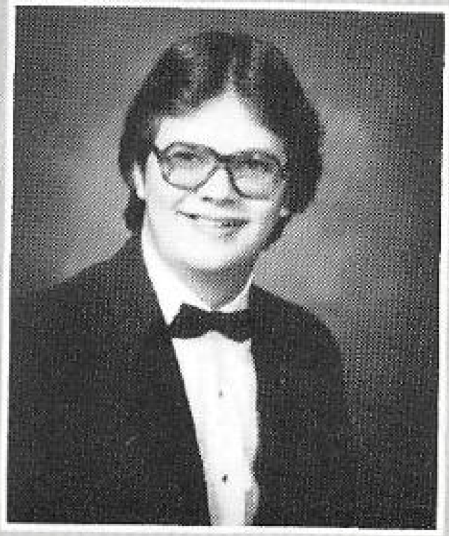
Joseph Christopher Stanley



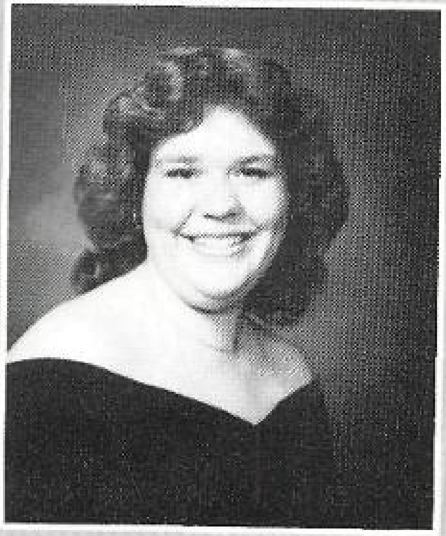
Karen Lee Stover



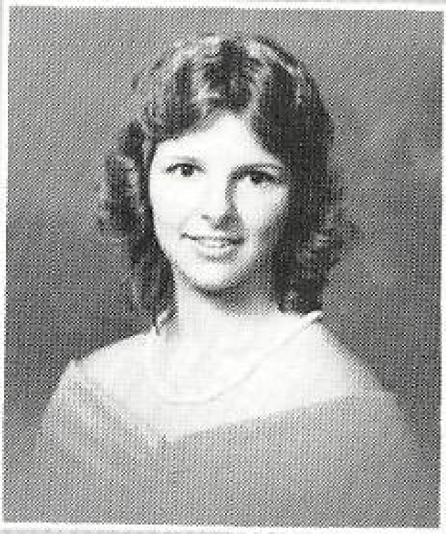
Jeannie Mai Stafford



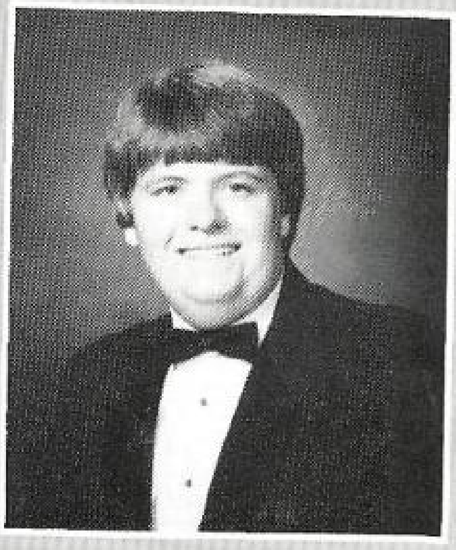
Rollin Wayne Stephens



Lois Faye Sullivan



Frances Storey



Aubrey Lynn Summers

Smithey, Anita F.

Stack, Kassie. *ROTC Junior Attendant, Queen 12.*

Stafford, Jeannie Mai.

Stanley, Joseph Christopher. *Wrestling 10, Marching Band 10-11, Pep Band 10-11, FFA 12.*

Stephens, Rollin Wayne. *Spanish Club 11.*

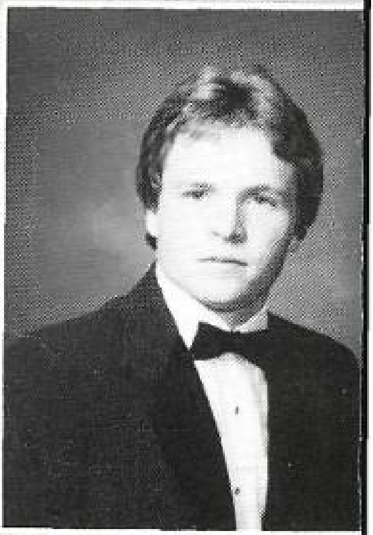
Storey, Frances. *Marching Band 10-12, Concert Band 10-12, Pep Band 10-12, Jazz Band 10-12, Band 10-12, Secretary 12, Co-Section Leader 10, Section Leader 11-12, Composer's Clinic 11; Beta Club 10-12, French Club 11, Drama Club 11-12, Who's Who Among American High School Students, Library Worker 12, Teacher's Aide 12, Band Award 10-11.*

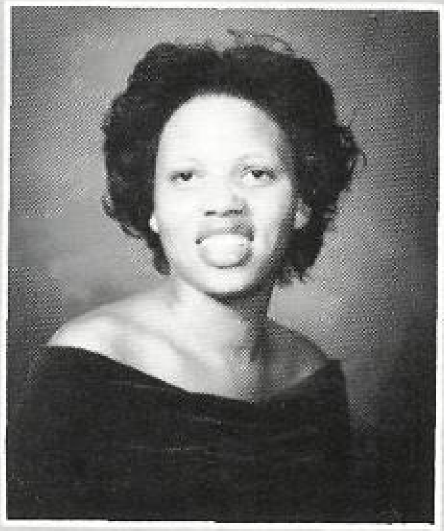
Stover, Karen Lee. *Marching Band 10-12, Concert Band 10-12, Jazz Band 11, Pep Band 10-12, 4-H Club 10-12, Who's Who Among American High School Students, Computer Club 12.*

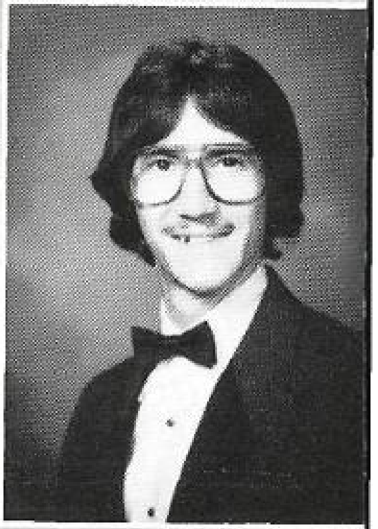
Sullivan, Lois Faye. *FHA-HERO 10-12, ROTC 10-12, Pep Club 10-12.*

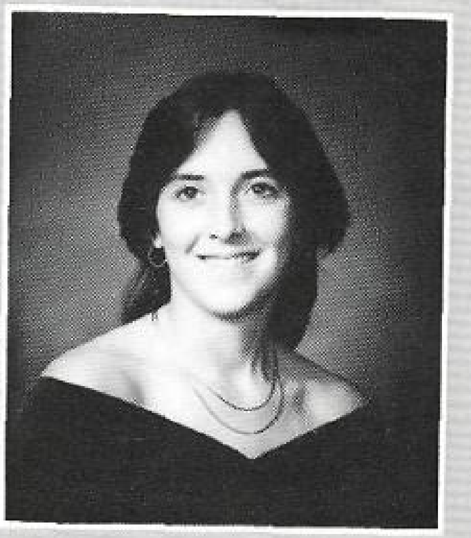
Summers, Aubrey Lynn. *Pep Club 10, ROTC 10-12, Color Guard 10-11, Honor Guard 10-11, Drill Team 11, Softball 11-12.*

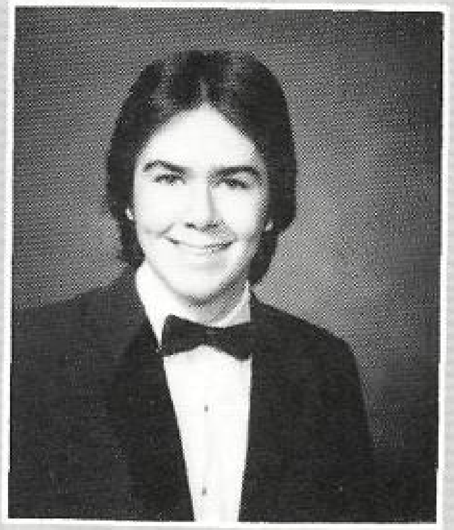
Sutton, Brad E. *Art Club 12, VICA 12, Football 10-11.*
Swader, Angela. *FHA 10, ROTC 10.*
Swain, Allan Dale. *ROTC 10-12, Pep Club 10-11, VICA 12.*
Swanson, Mary Catherine. *Pep Club 10, Softball 10-11, OEA-TOEC 11-12, Drama Club 11.*
Swett, Michael David. *Band 10, ROTC 10, Jazz Band 11.*
Tate, David E. *ROTC 10-11, Pep Club 10-11, FFA 10, 12; VICA 12.*
Taylor, Monica Janice. *FHA 10, VICA 12, Pep Club 11, Volleyball 11, Basketball 10-12.*
Taylor, Randy. *VICA 11, Pep Club 10, FFA 10.*
Tenpenny, David Loyd. *VICA 12, Pep Club 10-12, FFA 10, Treasurer 11, Vice President 12; 4-H Club 11-12, Art Club 12, Beta Club 10-12.*

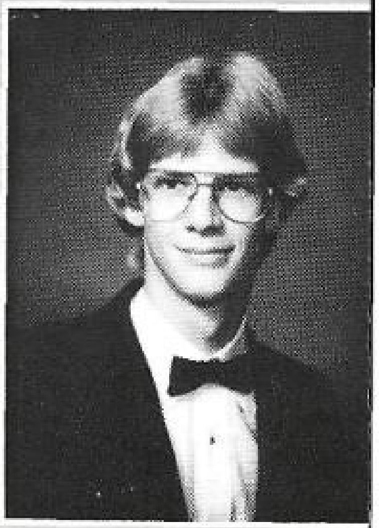

Brad E. Sutton


Angela Swader

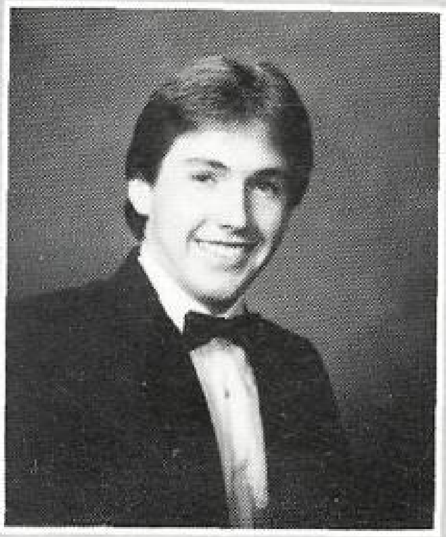

Allan Dale Swain

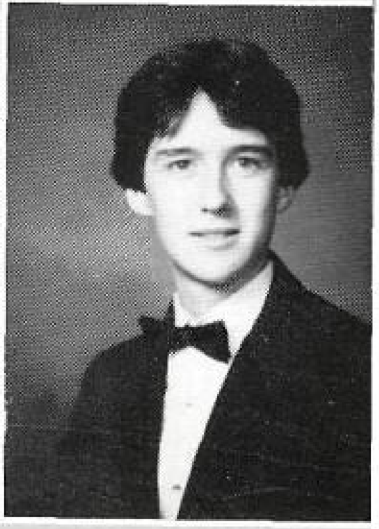

Mary Catherine Swanson

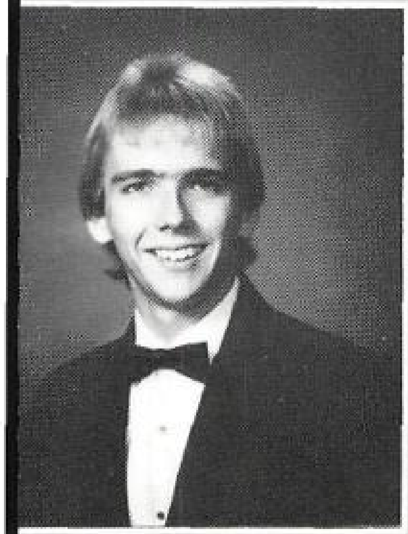

Michael David Swett

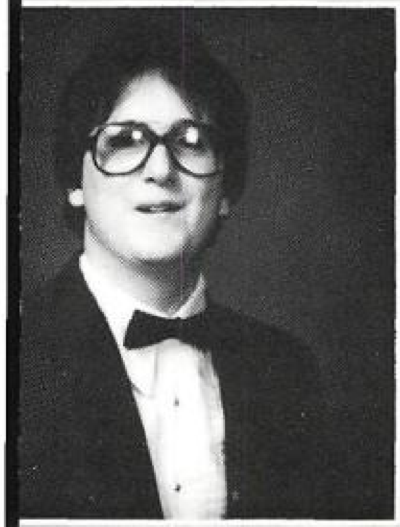

David E. Tate

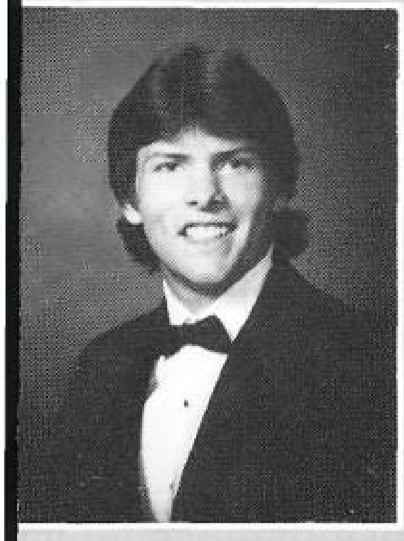
Monica Janice Taylor

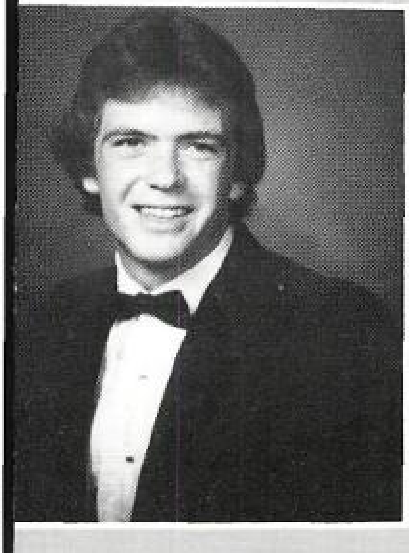

Randy Taylor


David Loyd Tenpenny


Van Gary Tenpenny Jr.

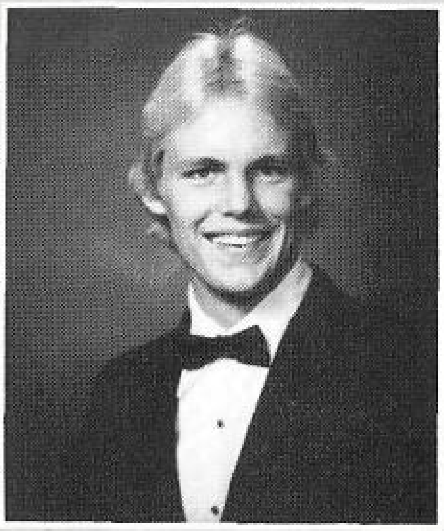

Danny R. Todd

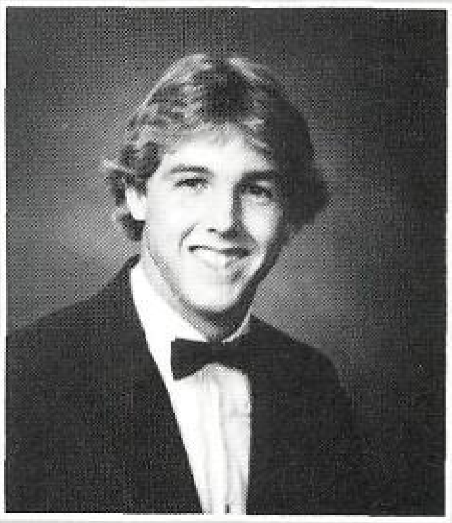

Larry Dwayne Tucker

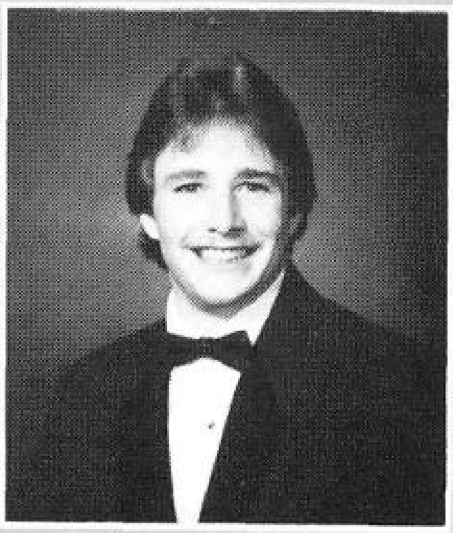

Thomas M. Tucker Jr.

Angela Michele Thacker

Julie Towns


Samuel Lawrence Tucker


Ken Thomas


Donny Troutman

Tenpenny, Van Gary Jr. *Band 10-11, ROTC 10, Science Club 10, VICA 12, Art Club Photographer 12, Computer Club 12.*
Thacker, Angela Michele. *Band 10-11, Beta Club 10-12, Mu Alpha Theta 11-12.*
Thomas, Ken. *Key Club 10-12, Class Sergeant at Arms 10-12, Student Council 10-11, S Club 12, Science Club 11, Most Athletic Boy, Baseball 10-12, Football Most Valuable Player 11.*
Todd, Danny R. *ROTC 10-11.*
Troutman, Donny. *Pep Club 11-12, VICA 12.*
Tucker, Larry Dwayne. *Cross Country 10, Football 11, Science Club 10-11, Pep Club 10-12, French Club 10, Who's Who Among American High School Students.*
Tucker, Samuel Lawrence. *Pep Club 10-12, Science Club 11-12, Beta Club 11-12, Mu Alpha Theta 11-12, Baseball 10-12, Who's Who Among American High School Students.*
Tucker, Thomas M. Jr. *FFA 10, VICA 12.*

__Turner, LaTonya.__ 4-H Club 12.

__Turner, Rod Allen.__ Cross Country 11, Golf Team 12.

__Tyson, Lisa Lynn.__ Basketball 10-12, Beta Club 11-12, Pep Club 10-12, S Club 10-12, French Club 10-11, FCA 12, Who's Who Among American High School Students.

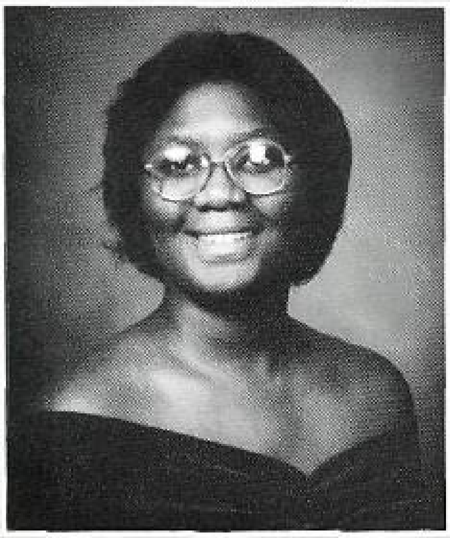
__Vaughn, Bruce.__ FFA 10-11.

__Vaughn, William Morse III.__ VICA 11, Art Club 12, Student Council 12, Key Club 12, Pep Club 11-12, Basketball 10.

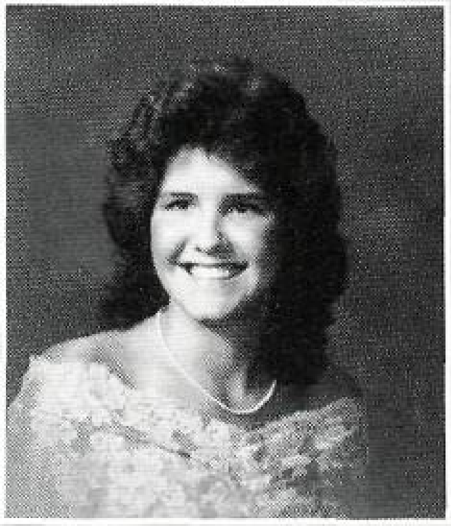
__Vizena, John Lawrence.__ Beta Club 10-12, National Honor Society 11-12, Drama Club 10-11, Secretary 12; French Club 10-11, Secretary 12; Computer Club 12, Vocal Music President 12, VICA 12, Pep Club 10-12.

__Waddey, Regina Elaine.__ Beta Club 10-12, National Honor Society 12, STEP Club 11-12, Science Club 12, Mu Alpha Theta 11-12, Pep Club 12, Interact 12, Who's Who Among American High School Students in Foreign Languages Guidance Worker 12.

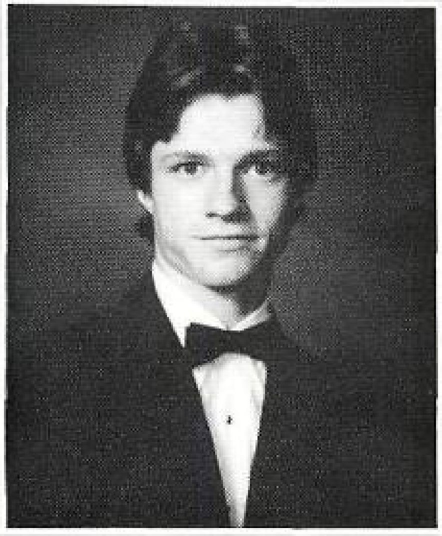
__Walden, Kathy Diane.__ Who's Who Among American High School Students, Drama Club 10, Vice President 11; President 12; OEA-TOEC 10-11, Vice President 12, Executive Diplomat, Stateswoman, and Ambassador Awards; ROTC 10-12, Female Drill Team 10, Traffic Detail 11-12, Pep Club 10-12, Band 11-12, Manager 11; Flag Girl 12, 4-H Club Vice President 10, French Club 10, ROTC Softball Assistant Coach 11-12.



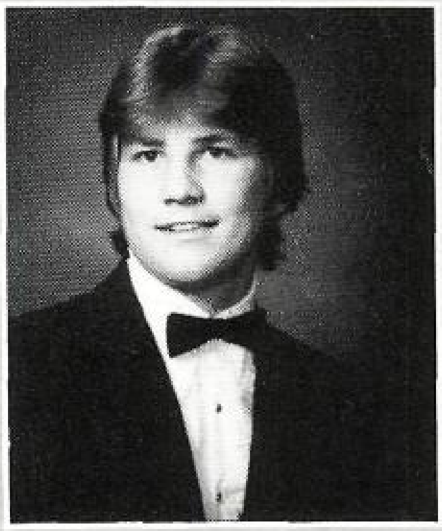
LaTonya Turner



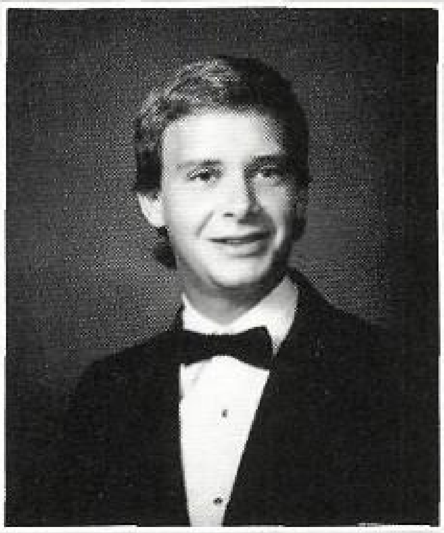
Lisa Lynn Tyson



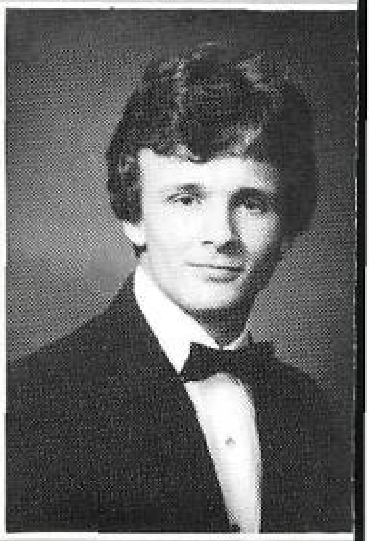
Rick Turner



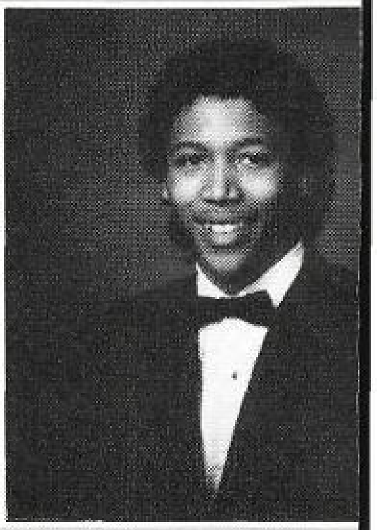
Bruce Vaughn



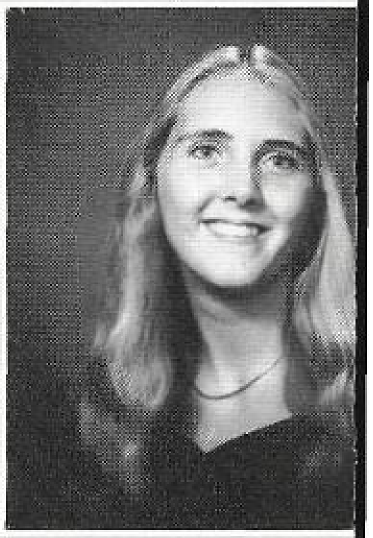
John Lawrence Vizena



Rod Allen Turner

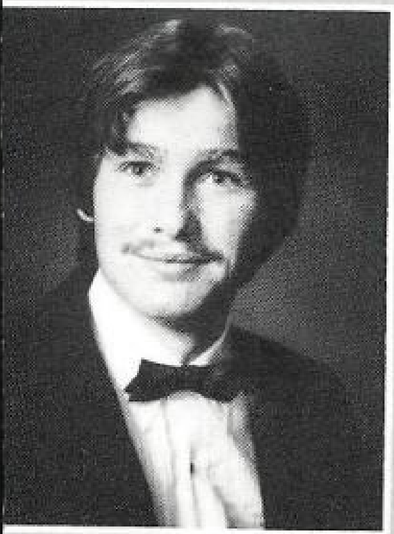


William Morse Vaughn

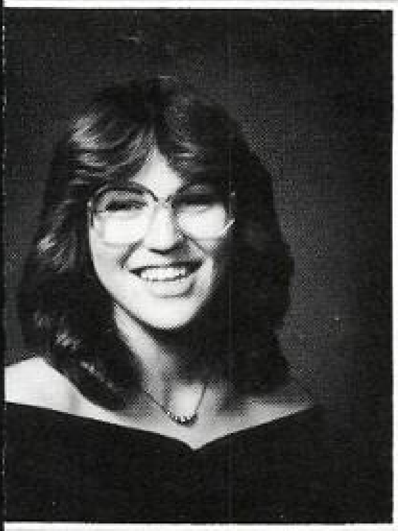


Regina Elaine Wadde

Kathy Diane Walden

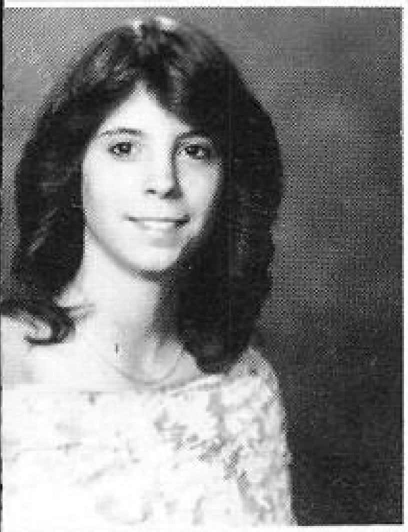


Marty P. Waldron

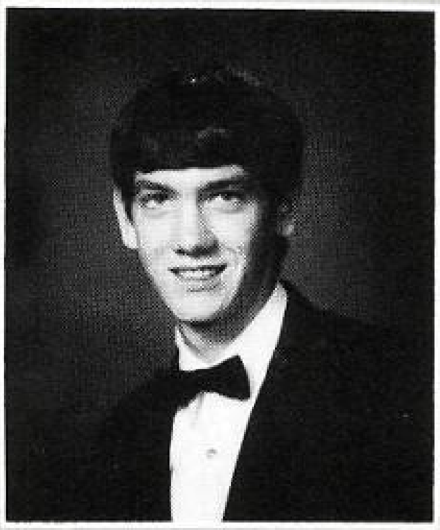


Kim C. Walker

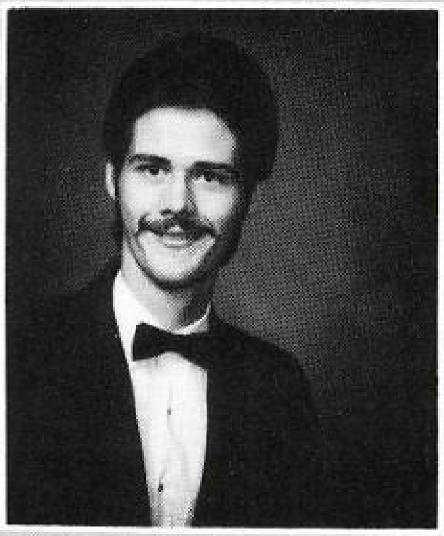
Debra Y. Wallace



Denise Ann Marie Webb

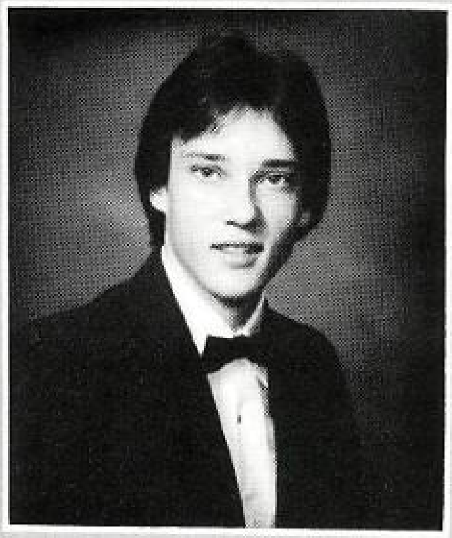


Leland R. Wall

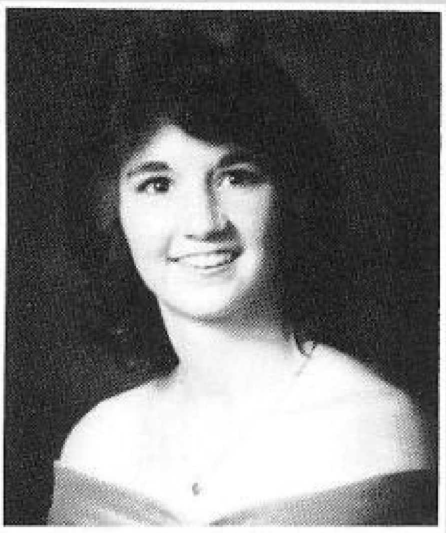


Jeffrey G. Waynick

Kimberly I. Webb



Jerry L. Weaver



Jennifer Weitemeyer

Waldron, Marty P.

Walker, Kim C. *FHA-HERO 10-12, Color Guard 10-12, Female Drill Team 11, Commander 12.*

Wall, Leland R. *ROTC 10-12, Color Guard 10-12, Honor Guard 10-12, FFA 10-12, Male Drill Team 11-12, Rangers 11, Industrial Arts Club 12.*

Wallace, Debra Y. *ROTC 10-11, FHA-HERO 11.*

Waynick, Jeffrey G. *Pep Club 12, VICA 11, President 12.*

Weaver, Jerry L. *Pep Club 11-12, French Club 11, Science Club 12, Interact 12, Who's Who Among American High School Students.*

Webb, Denise Ann Marie. *Concert Band 10-12, Marching Band 10-12, Pep Band 10-12, Beta Club 10-12, 4-H Club 10, Vice President 11; ROTC Rifle Team 10-12, Most Improved Member 10, Most Valuable Member 11; Drum and Bugle Corps 12, ROTC Senior Attendant.*

Webb, Kimberly I. *Beta Club 11-12, Interact 11, OEA-TOEC 11, VICA 12.*

Welch, Cynthia G. *Pep Club 10-11, OEA-TOEC 10-11, Drama Club 11, FHA-HERO 10-11, VICA 12.*

West, Richard R.

West, Wendy Elaine. *Transfer Student from Beech High School, FCA 10-12, Booster Club 10-11, OEA-TOEC 11-12.*

Whinnery, Colin G. *Pep Club 10-12, Key Club 11, Sergeant at Arms 12; Student Council 12, Select Choir 10-11, VICA 12.*

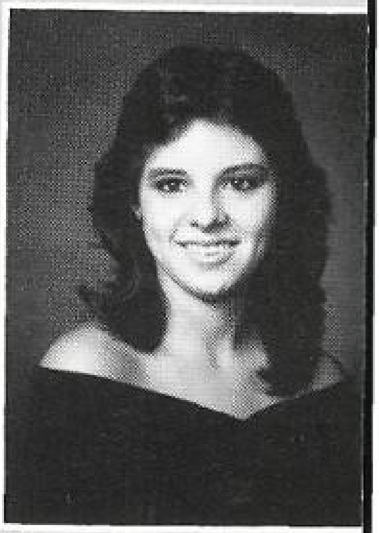
White, John V. *Industrial Arts Club 10-12, ROTC 10.*

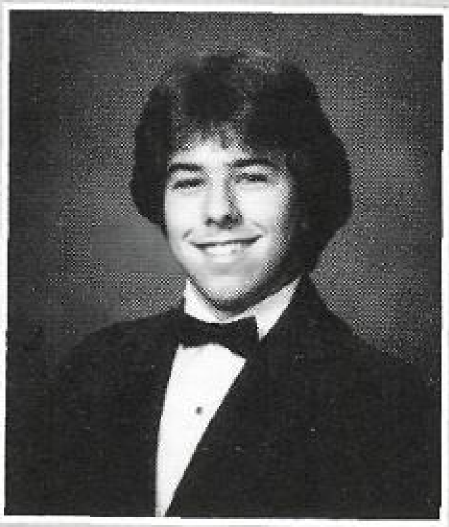
Whitley, Candace Annette. *Basketball 10-12, Softball 10-12, Volleyball 12, Pep Club 10-12, S Club 11-12, Interact 12, Office Worker 12, Most Athletic Girl, Student Council 10-12.*

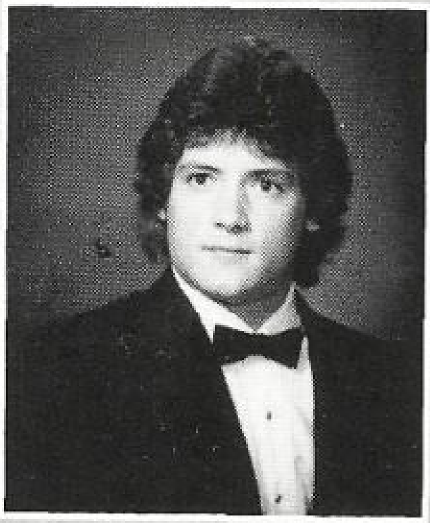
Williams, Michael Wayne. *STEP Club 10-11, Science Club 10-11, Treasurer 12; Pep Club 10-12, Drama Club 10, Interact 12, VICA Class Representative 12, Friendliest Boy.*

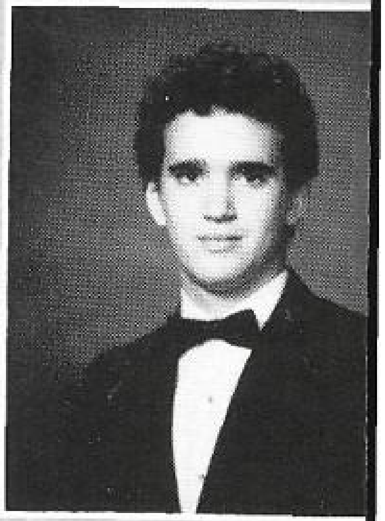
Willis, D. Teresa. *Pep Club 10, FHA-HERO 10, ROTC 10-12, Female Drill Team 10, ROTC Softball 11, VICA 12.*

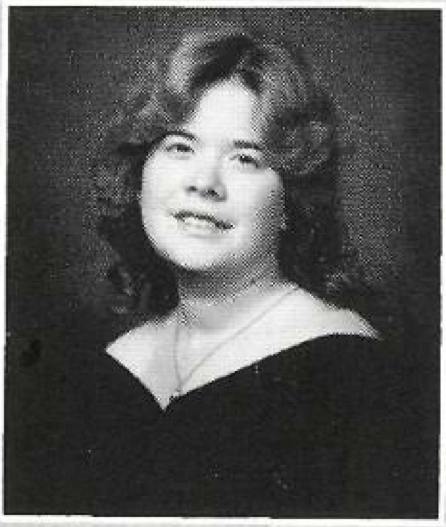
Wilson, Billy G. *Football 11-12, Industrial Arts Club 10.*

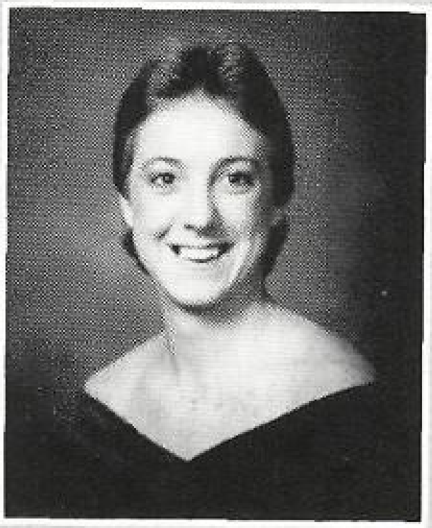

Cynthia G. Welch

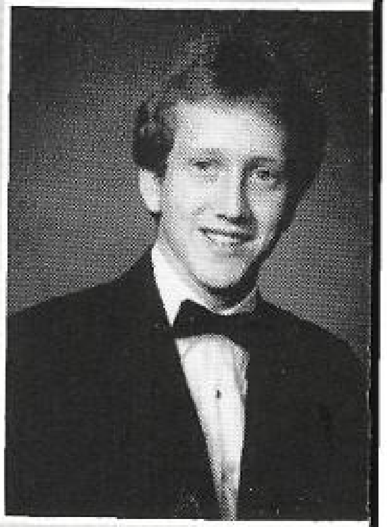

Richard R. West

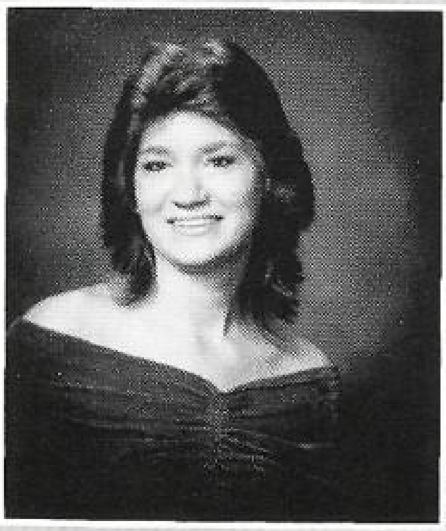

Colin G. Whinnery

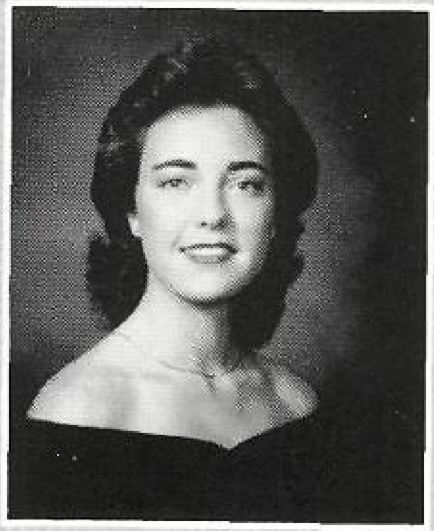

John V. White

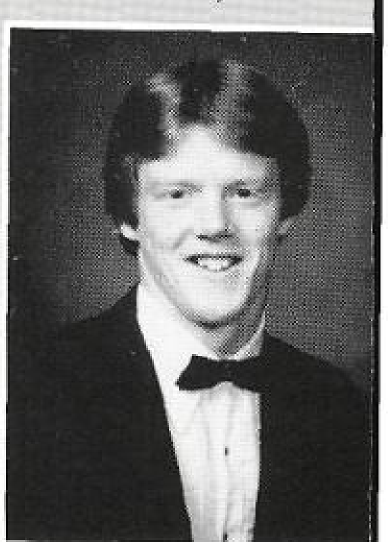

Annette Whited


Candace Annette Whitley

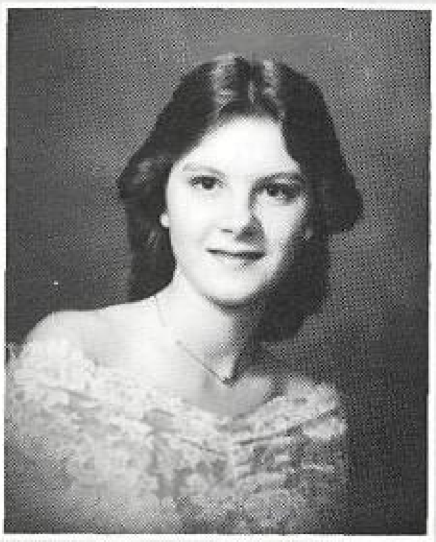

Michael Wayne Williams


D. Teresa Willis

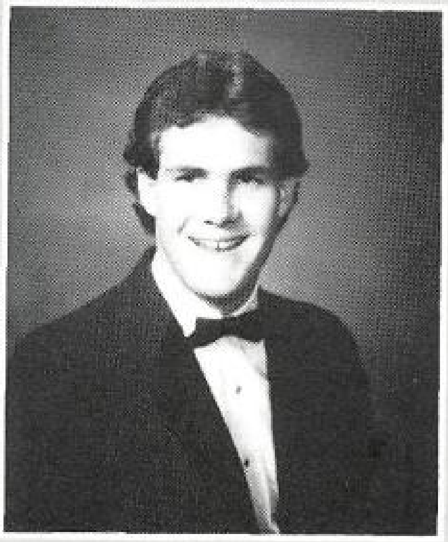

Bethany Wilson


Billy G. Wilson

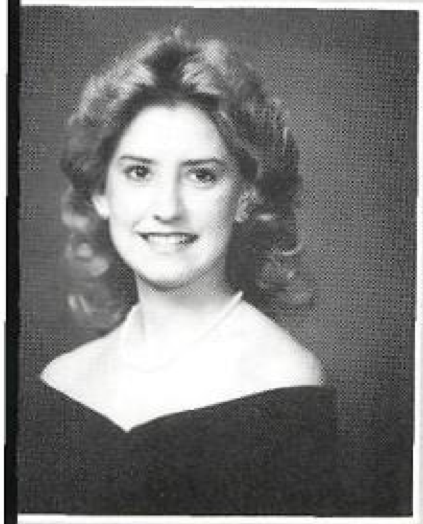
Chanda L. Wilson



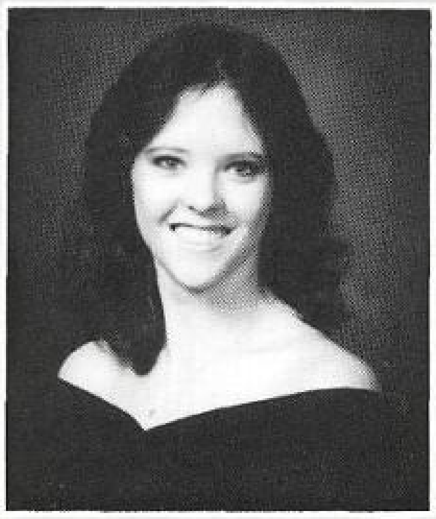
Donna R. Wilson



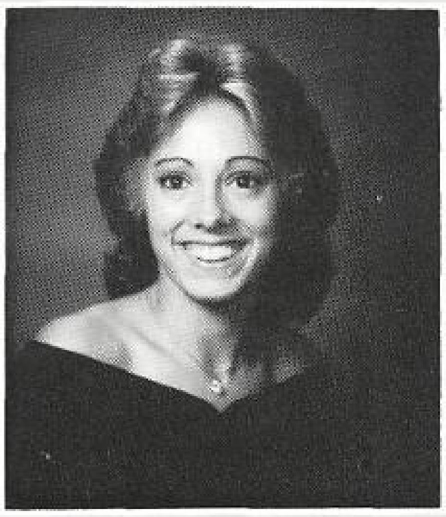
Jeff B. Windrow



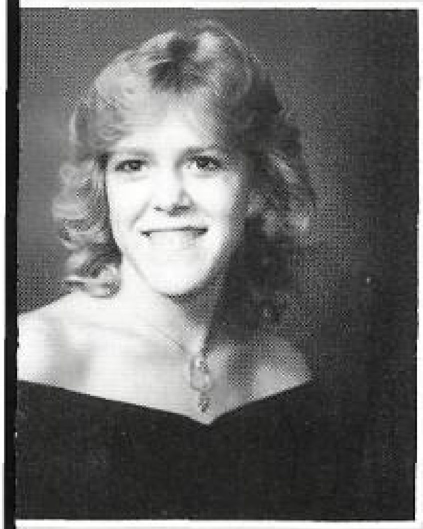
Sharon Renee Wingate



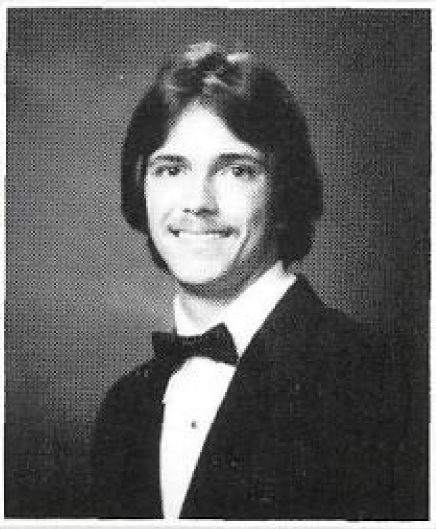
Penny M. Woods



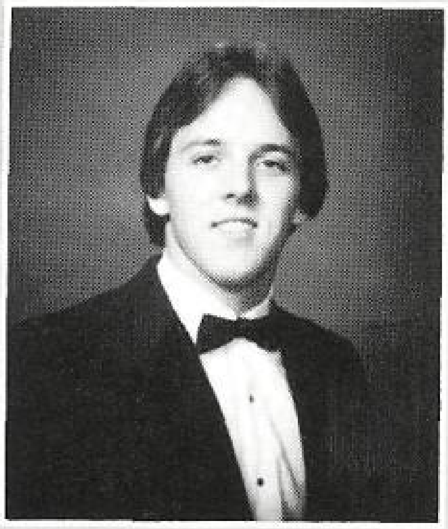
Kelly Y. Wray



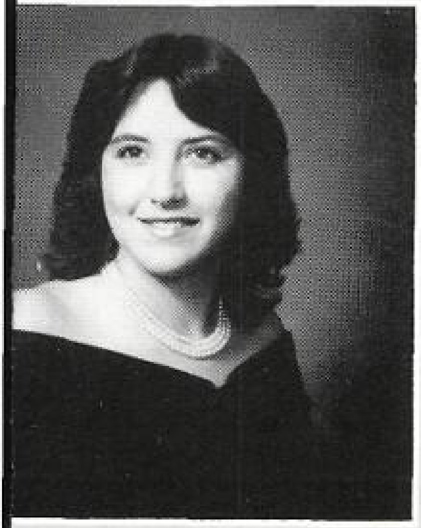
E. Regina Wright



Larry C. York



Tom T. Yorks



Frances Ann Young

Not Pictured

John Barbarotto
Lisa Bucklew
Lisa Burns
Vickie Cantrell
Kevin Darrell
Sandra Eidson
Danny Floyd
Chris Hager
Wayne Harrison
Kathy Honey
Jeff Hutchins
Clint Judkins
Jay Nelson
Mishael Owens
Tony Reed
Wendy West

__Wilson, Chanda L.__ Pep Club 10-12, ROTC 10-11, FHA-HERO 11-12.

__Wilson, Donna R.__ Pep Club 10-12, Beta Club 10-12, OEA-TOEC 12.

__Windrow, Jeff B.__ Baseball 10-12, Pep Club 11-12.

__Wingate, Sharon Renee.__ French Club 10-11, Student Council 11, STEP Club 12, Pep Club 10-12, FHA-HERO 12, Interact 12, S Club 11-12, Guidance Worker 11-12, Cheerleader 11, Who's Who Among American High School Students, Cutest Girl.

__Woods, Penny M.__ Pep Club 10-11, Band 10-11, VICA 12, OEA-TOEC 11.

__Wray, Kelly Y.__ Pep Club 10-12, 4-H Club 10, FHA-HERO 12.

__Wright, E. Regina.__ FFA 12, Pep Club 10.

__York, Larry C.__ Baseball 10-11, Student Council 10, Pep Club 10-12.

__Yorks, Tom T.__ Transfer Student from New Hope High School, N.H., Ala., Spanish Club 10.

__Young, Frances Ann.__ ROTC 10-12, Drill Team 11, Color Guard 10, Drum and Bugle 11, Traffic Detail 11-12, Pep Club 10-12, Band 10-12, Flag Girl 11-12.

SMYRNA SHARP SHOOTERS

Smyrna High School is very proud to have enrolled in its school two very talented marksmen who are members of our rifle team, Quint Bogle and Denise Webb. Denise placed first in the state as a member of the junior class. She also placed fourth in the national competition for Junior ROTC sponsored by the NRA. Quint has also displayed outstanding skills on Smyrna High School's rifle team. He was among the winners in a rifle match at UT Martin.

Ready, Aim, Fire! *Remaining in a steady state of concentration is a necessity for Denise Webb as she prepares to fire her weapon.*
Smyrna High Marksmen. *Denise Webb and Quint Bogle.*

If You Could Be . . .

The ***Gold Dust*** *staff conducted a survey in which the seniors were asked to respond to this question: "If you could be anyone in the world, past or present, who would you choose to be?" Some of the most interesting and unique responses to this inquiry are listed below.*

Mark Pickel *— Billy Carter*
Natalie Parker *— Queen Elizabeth*
Tammy Hobbs *— Tom Selleck's Wife*
Jennifer Weitemeyer *— Perfect Christian Example*
Denise Webb *— Rip Van Winkle*
Penny Woods *— Garfield*
Doris Prosser *— Dolly Parton*
Mitch Freeman *— Remington Steele*
Lori Adams *— Scarlett O'Hara*
Larry York *— Mr. Rogers*
Brad Miller *— Hugh Hefner*
Cynthia Butler *— Florence Nightengale*
Phil Lewis *— Prince Albert of Monaco*
Kim Webb *— Myself*
Trevor Rifkin *— Einstein*

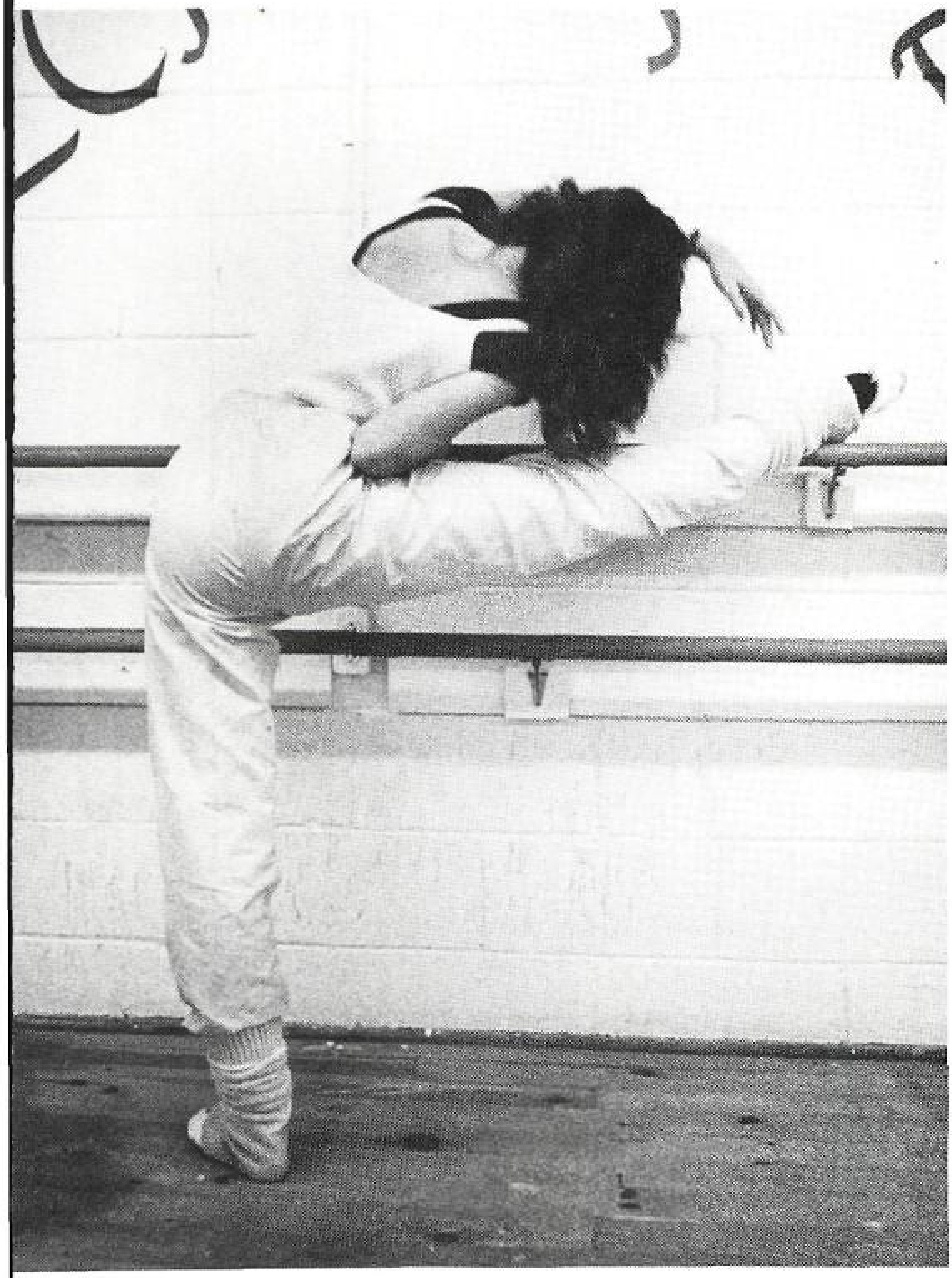
SUCCESS AT SEVENTEEN

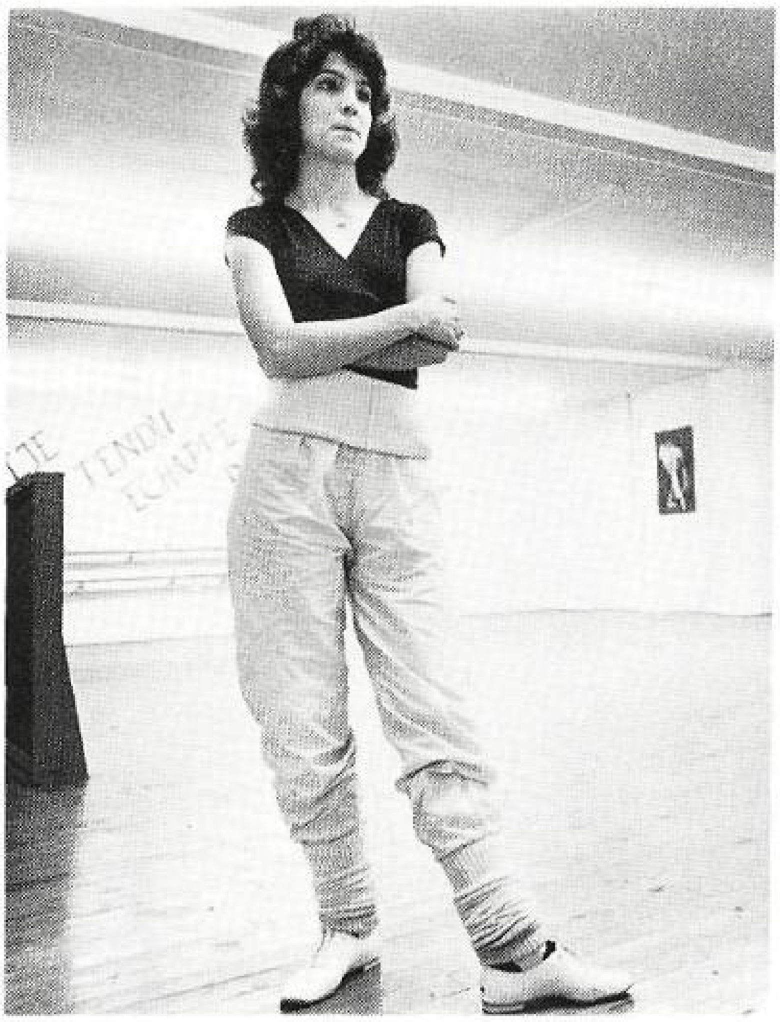
Sharon Jones, a member of the senior class, was voted most talented for her outstanding dance abilities. Sharon has been dancing since the young age of three, and now she owns her own dance studio, the Dance Academy, where students, beginning with the age of three, are instructed in the many types of dance.

Sharon began taking lessons from Pauline's School of Dance where she also was accredited to teach tap, ballet, jazz, acrobatics, toe, and ballroom dancing. She is also accredited by the Chicago National Association of Dance to teach dancing.

Teaching classes six days a week and keeping up with her school work involves a great deal of determination and sacrifices from Sharon. "There are certain things I have to get done every day," she said. "I have to know what I'm going to be doing every second of the day — my life revolves around my watch."

Sharon hopes to inspire her students to fulfill their dreams. "It's not hard to accomplish something if you really want it," she said. "This is my dream, and I'm living it."

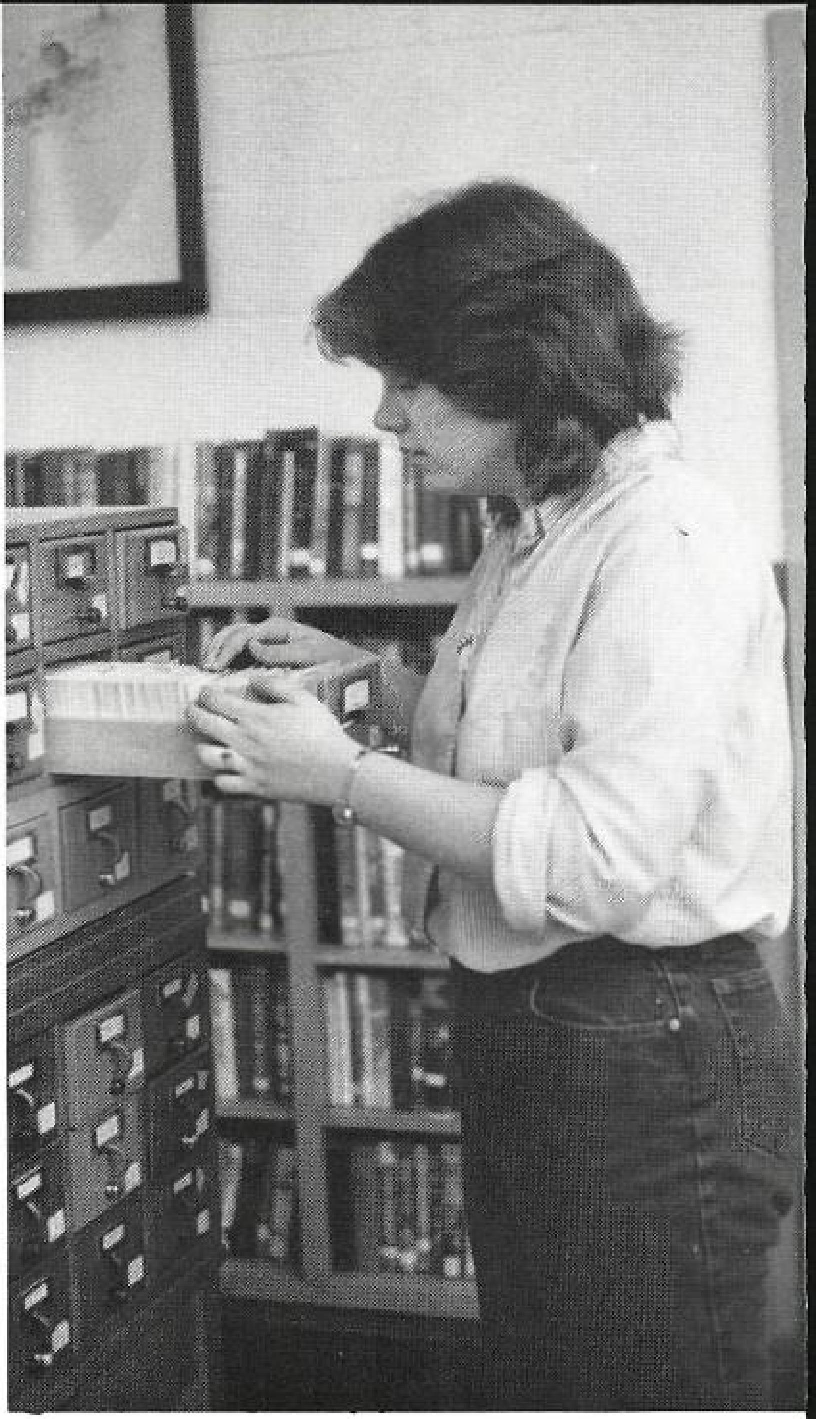




A Moment to Relax. *After working diligently on her journalism duties, Sharon takes a moment to relax and organize her thoughts.*
Warming Up. *Sharon warms up before beginning her daily routine of teaching dance. — Photo by Greg Campbell.*
In Between Classes. *With a very busy teaching schedule, Sharon takes a minute to arrange her activities in an orderly manner. — Photo by Greg Campbell.*

TERM PAPER TERRORS

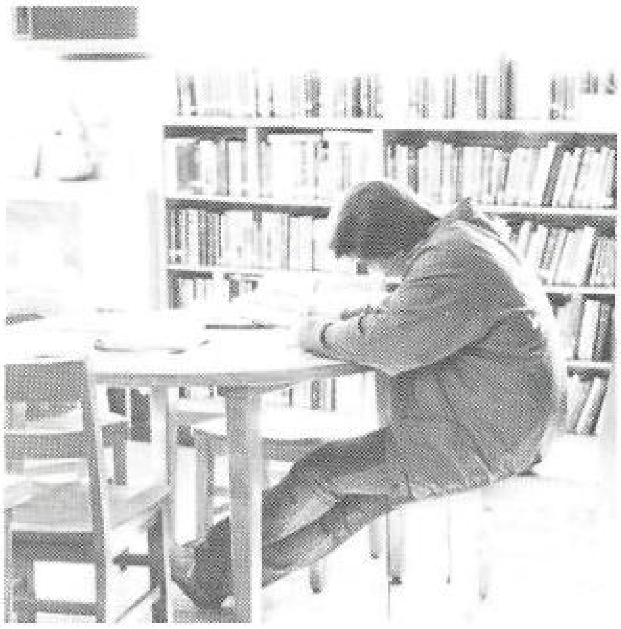
There's No Escaping



May 1983! The junior year is complete. The new seniors think the worst is over. However, they soon realize that the ultimate challenge lies ahead and there is no escaping the "terror" that lies in store for them.

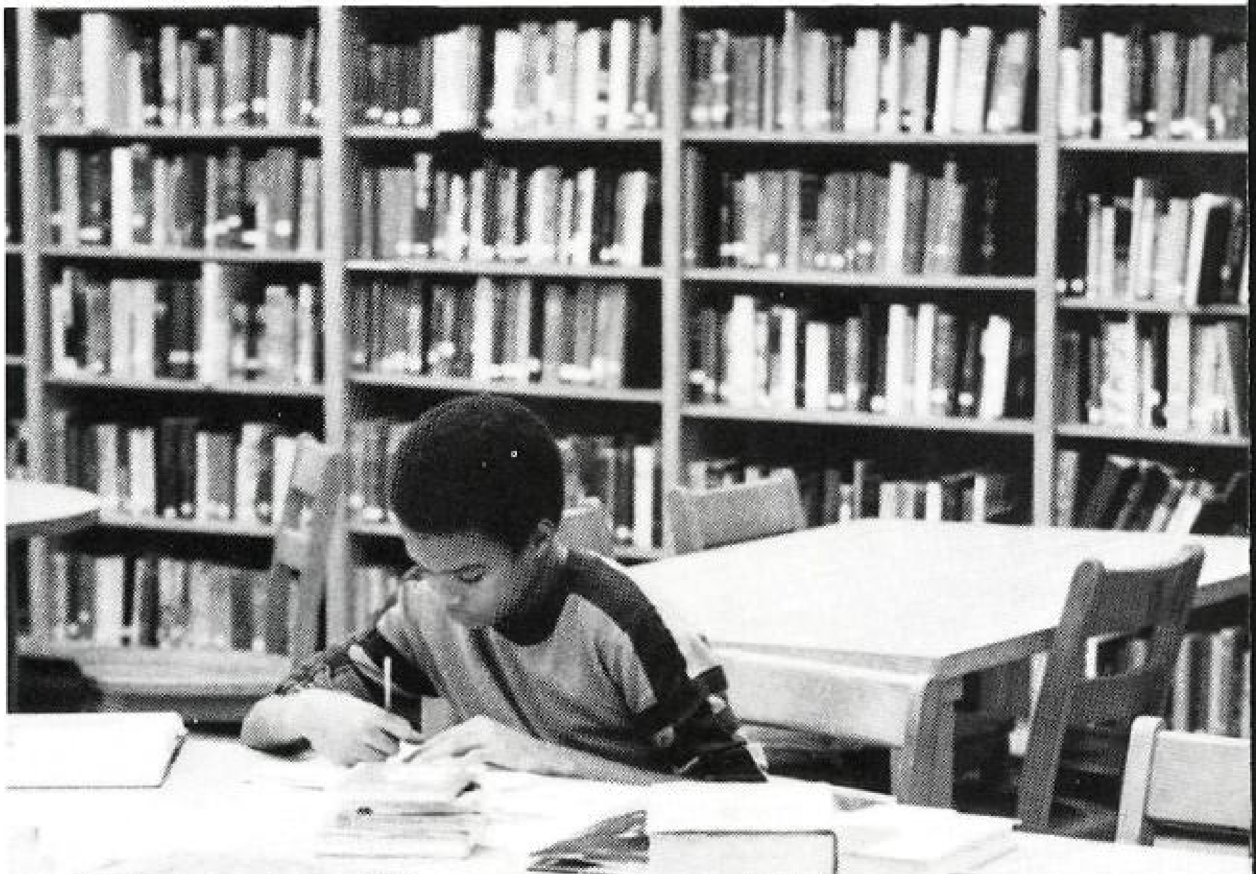
The inevitable term paper — this is just another one of the many firsts each high school senior must encounter. First of all, the senior must decide on a topic that interests him. Next, the student must find sources, write the paper, and then type it or pay someone to do the job for him. Still the worst part of all in many students' opinion is the oration of the speech in front of the class and teacher. These are just a few of the traumatic experiences a senior must deal with while writing his term paper.

When the research is completed and the time comes for organization, he is on the verge of panicking. With only a month to write his first term paper, there seem to be endless pressures. After painstaking thought and many nights of burning the midnight oil, the senior hands in the completed paper. Filled with many doubts and insecurities, he eagerly awaits a grade. After he has his grade, he either sighs or cries, but all that remains of the carefully compiled term paper are the ashes that smolder in the senior English teachers' fireplaces.



A Library Lifesaver. *Since the first step in writing a term paper is looking for references, the card catalog is usually the first stop for most seniors. Kerri Parman was able to find several sources for her paper on Lord Byron.*

The Second Step. *Shutting out the rest of the world while working diligently on his term paper, Jerry Davis attempts to complete his many note cards.*

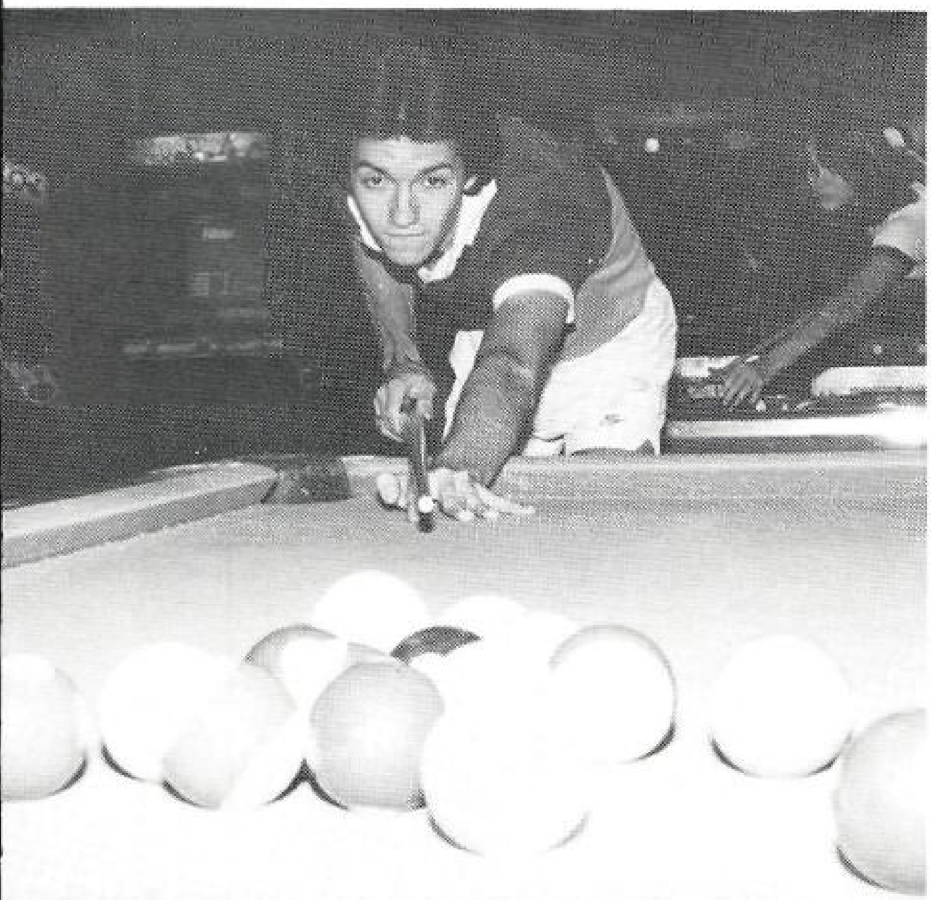


Finishing Touches. *Before his finished paper is typed, Gary Martin works on last minute details and revis*

Disarray in the Huddle. *During practice senior powder puff players plot their next play and attempt to get their signals straight.*

Friends Forever. *Cynthia Foutch and Tammy Hobbs laugh at some unexpected expressions on their senior proofs.*

Breaking It up. *Jeff Key sharpens his expertise at shooting pool.*



CHERISHED MEMORIES

Forget Them Not

The time has come for the 1984 seniors to go their separate ways. This time is filled with excitement but also with a bit of reluctance. As the seniors reflect on their past school days, they remember the special people, places, and times which were important to them.

Graduation — the major milestone of a senior's life . . . as each student steps across the stage at Murphy Center to receive his diploma, the senior feels a variety of mixed emotions. He feels a sense of satisfaction and elation at having accomplished a seemingly endless task. However, the senior may also feel sadness, for he may never see some of these people again.

Anticipating graduation, the senior's mind is filled with memories of football games, the class clown, club activities, bulldog spirit, fund raisers, arrival of class rings and senior pictures, both bad and good times, and the special friends who made the days a little shorter. The senior then realizes the importance of memories and knows that they must never be forgotten. ***Twenty-four Carat Gold*** *memories last a lifetime.*

PREPARATION FOR THE FUTURE

Seniors Look Ahead

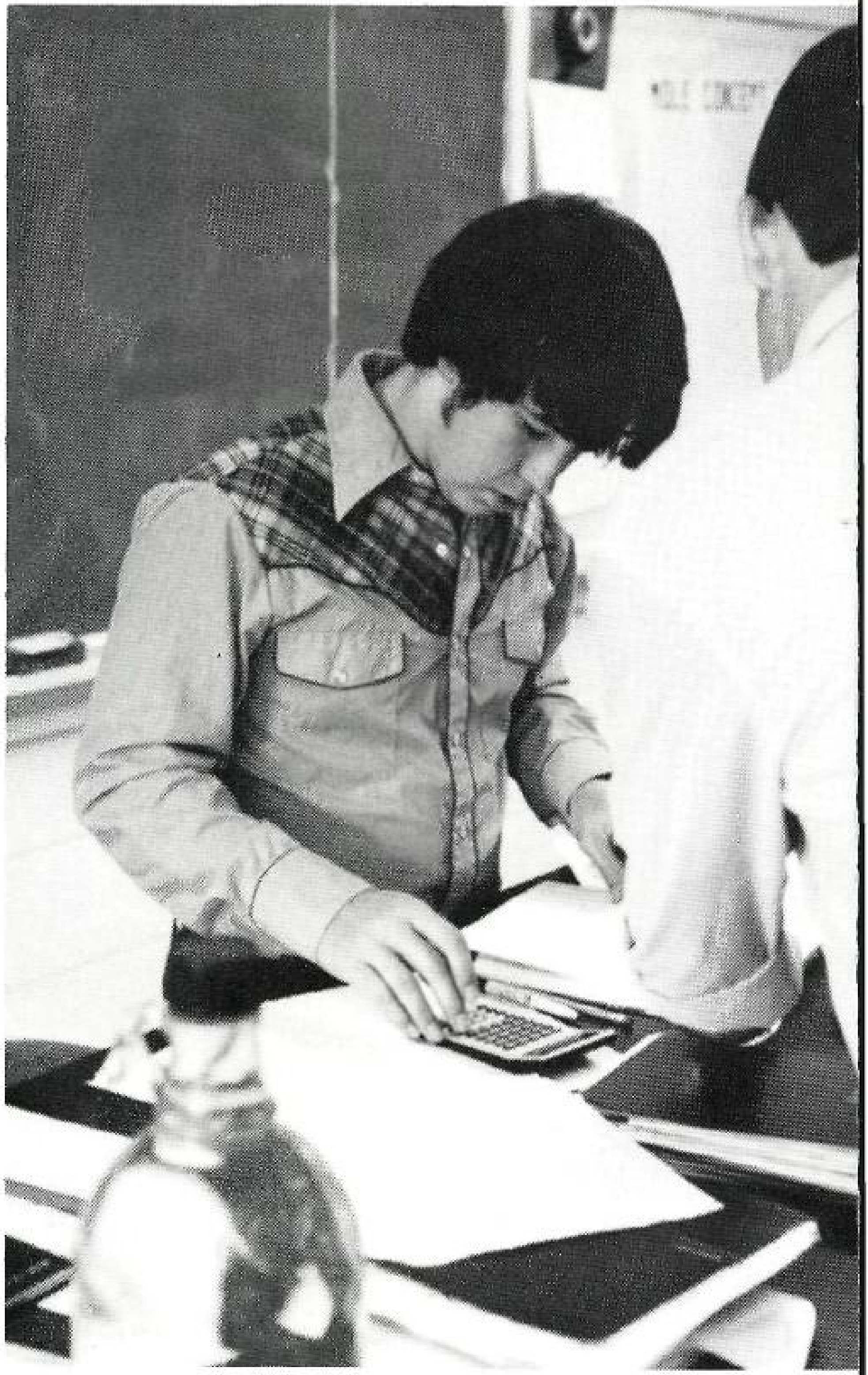
Much of a senior's time is devoted to preparing himself for the future. Doing this involves selecting courses which will help one in college, taking the American College Test, working part-time to prepare one's self for assuming future responsibilities, and deciding which college he will attend.

A wide variety of courses is offered to the senior class. Physics is a science that deals with energy. In this class, seniors learn many equations involving gravity, acceleration, velocity, distance, time, and mass. Another class which is popular with seniors is trigonometry with the second semester being advanced math. Trigonometry involves many complex functions and their properties. The computer math class studies BASIC, a computer language, and learns the fundamentals of programming. These courses are just a few of the many that are available to S.H.S. seniors.

One of the steps that a student must take along the road to college is the completion of some form of a college admissions test. The most popular is the American College Test, often referred to as the ACT. The composite score that a student makes on this test indicates his academic skills and abilities in four basic areas — English, mathematics, social studies, and the natural sciences. The ACT provides helpful information to colleges looking for students with strong academic potential.

In addition to school work, many seniors also have part-time jobs. Many students work because of the need or because of the want for "extra spending money." Having a part-time job can prepare a senior for the future by teaching the student to be a more responsible, mature person. Also, students can find jobs more easily now that Smyrna has developed into a prosperous town.

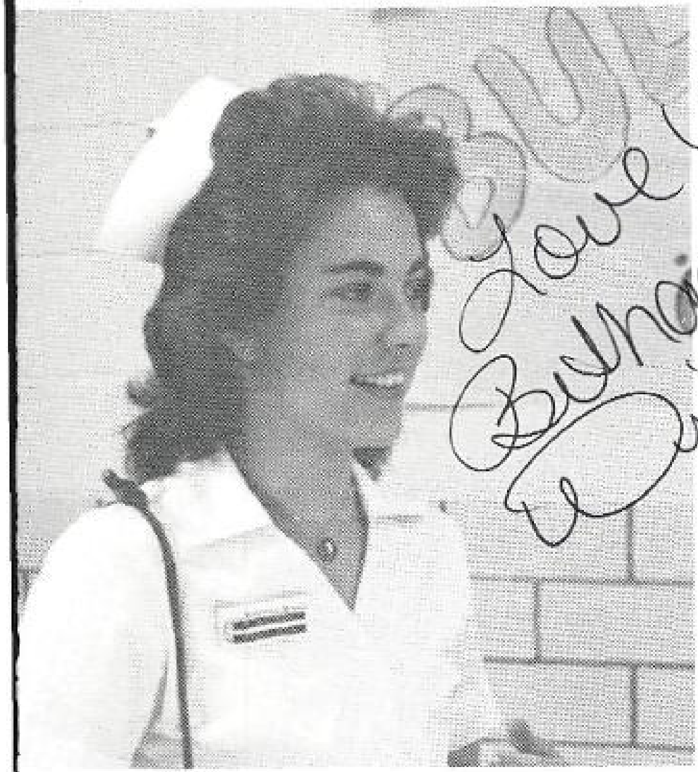
Of course, there are many important questions that a student must answer in preparation for his future: Will I live at home or on campus? What do I want to do for the rest of my life? These are just a few of the worries faced by the members of the 1984 graduating class. Hopefully, each student will face these questions and his future confidently and can accomplish his dreams of personal success.



Summing It Up. *Calculating their percentage error after a lengthy physics lab i almost as important as the lab itself to Don Johnson and Tony Cook.*
Aiming for an A. *In order to get a good grade on her physics lab, Yvonne Corle rechecks her pop gun's angle before firing again.*

Larry
John
I have known
you for so long you
cool dude!!! We have
had some great laughs.
Remember the Drama Club plays!!
and me you, and Kathy riding
around. I wish you luck
in all your endavors!
Love
Bethany

The Working World. As an employee of Wal-Mart, Lynn Duncan has to perform many duties from check verifications to customer service.
A Look at the Future. Since Bethany Wilson plans to go into the nursing profession, it was no surprise she chose this costume for Asbestos Day.
Taking the First Step. Filling out the ACT application form is one of the many steps that seniors take toward a college education. LeeAnne Aldridge finds the task time consuming but worthwhile.



Love ya
Bethany
Wilson

THE PERFECT SENIOR GIRL

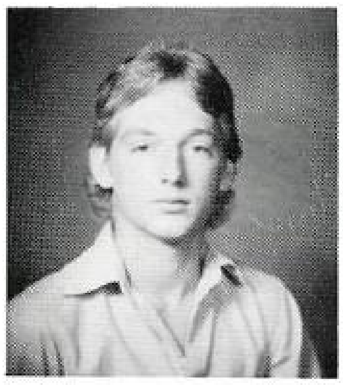
The boys in the senior class were asked to describe the perfect enior girl in terms of four characteristics — height, weight, color f eyes, and color of hair. The result of all the answers combined is s follows:

***air** — blonde*
***yes** — blue*
***eight** — 5' 7"*
***eight** — 115 lbs.*

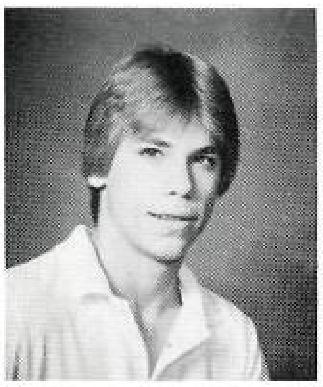
THE PERFECT SENIOR BOY

*What does the perfect senior boy look like? The girls in the senior class were faced with this question in a survey conducted by the **Gold Dust** staff. Height, weight, hair color, and eye color were the deciding factors in this survey, and the description of the perfect senior boy is as follows:*

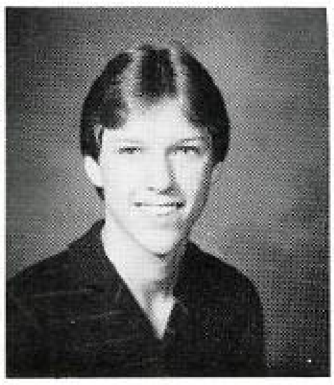
***hair** — black*
***eyes** — blue*
***height** — 6' 0"*
***weight** — 170 lbs.*

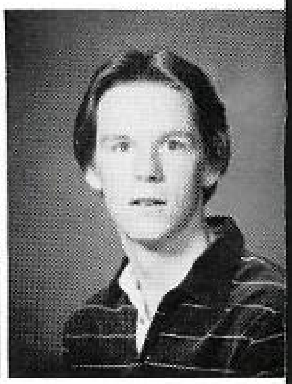

James Adams

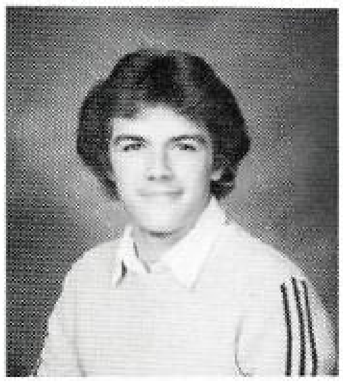
Julie Adcock

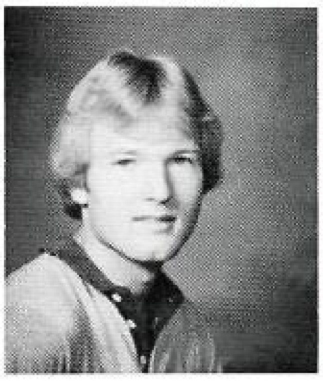

Steve Agee

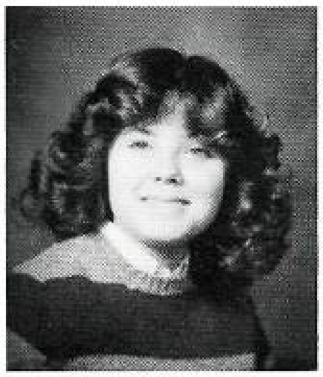
Lisa Allen


Ricky Allen

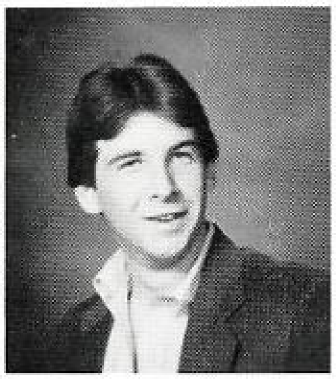

Byron Alsup


Al Anderson


Reece Anderson


Tina Anderson

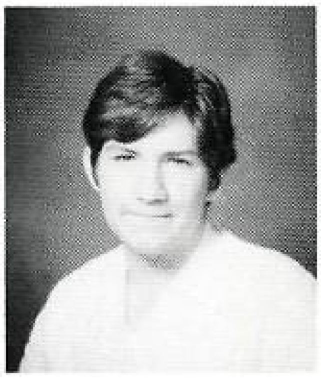
Lynn Armstrong

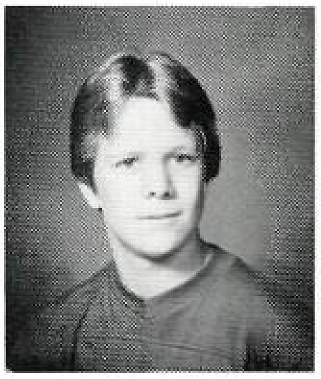

Kevin Babcock

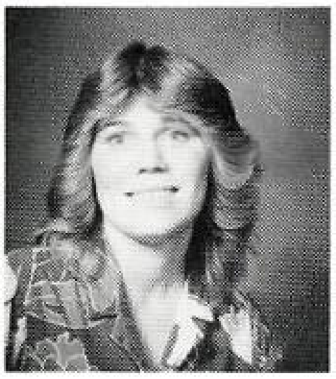
Janet Baine

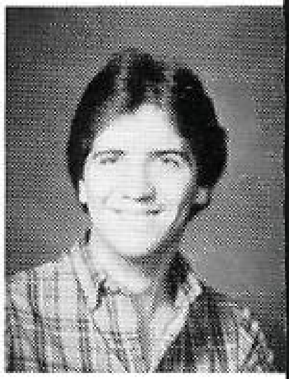
Renee' Baker

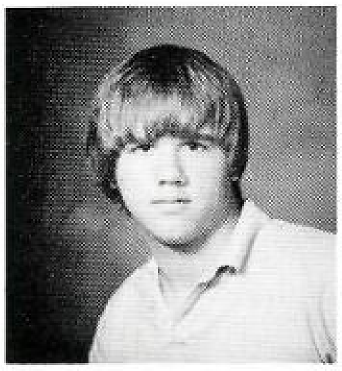
Katie Bannister


Frank Barattiero

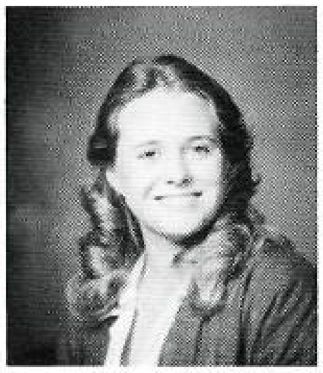

Lex Barker

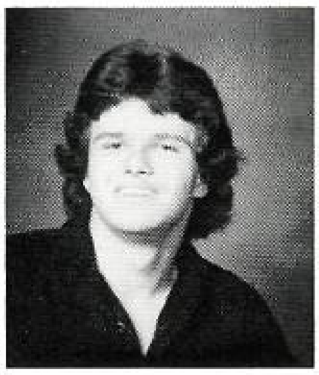

Terry Barlar

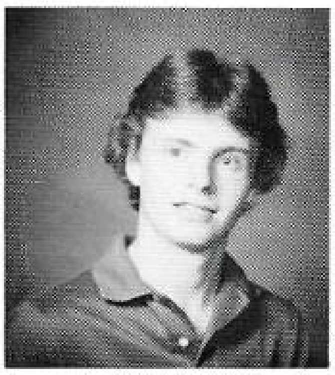

Darrell Barton


Jimmy Beacom

Sandra Bean

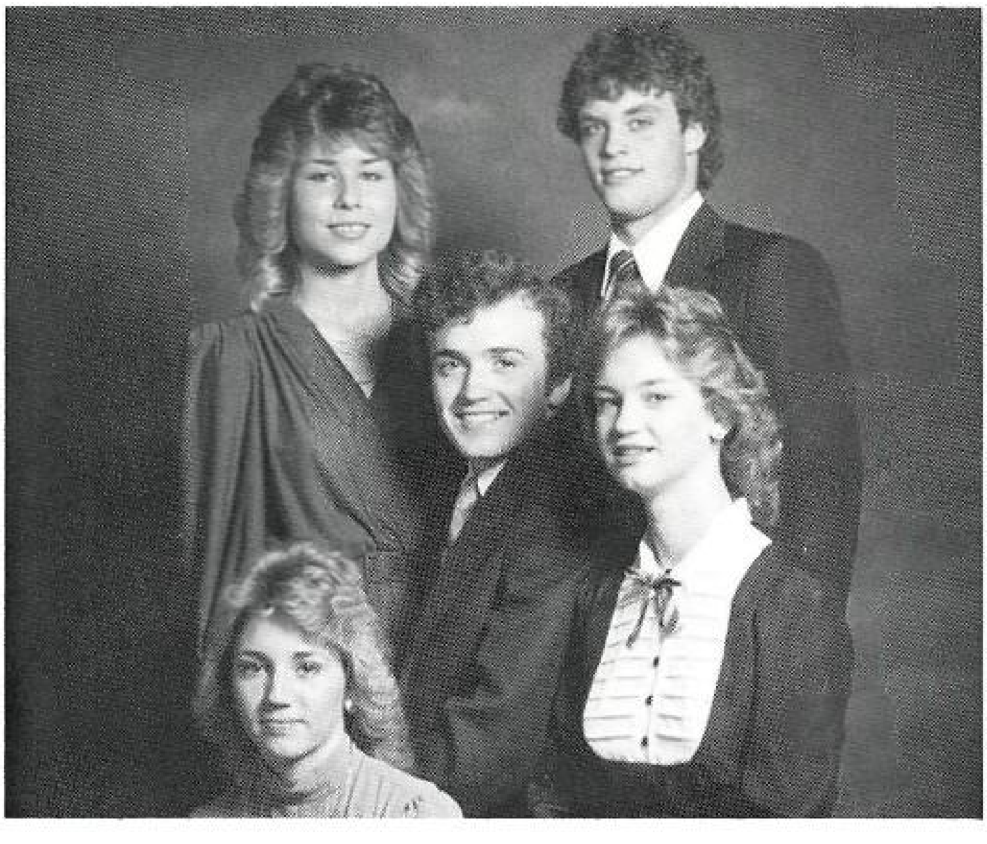

Missy Bebout


Carl Berlin


Richie Bicknell

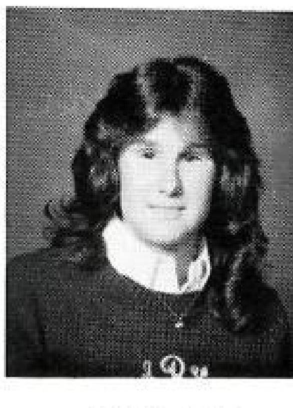
Robert Bittner

Junior Class Officers

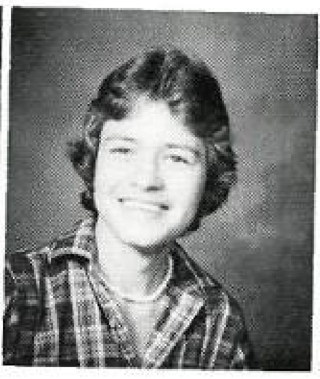


Sitting: *Julie Adcock, treasurer; Glenn Garner, president; Paige Stem, vice president;*
Standing: *Teresa Landry, secretary; Ed Garner, sergeant at arms*

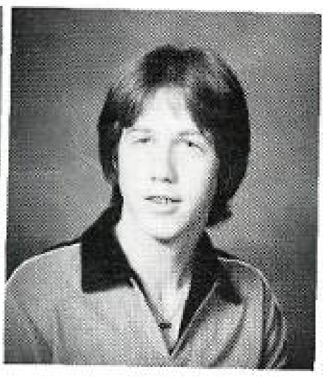
Kristie Blankenship

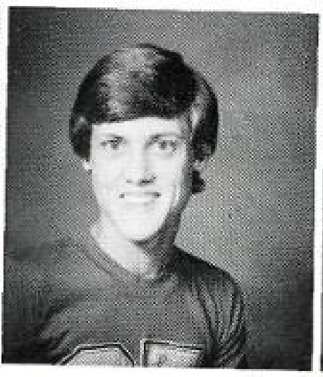

Allison Blye

Jay Boner

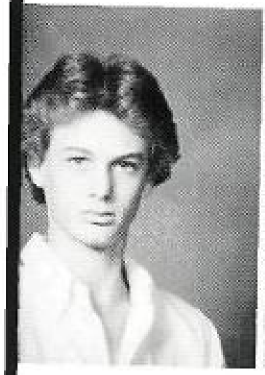

Tony Bono

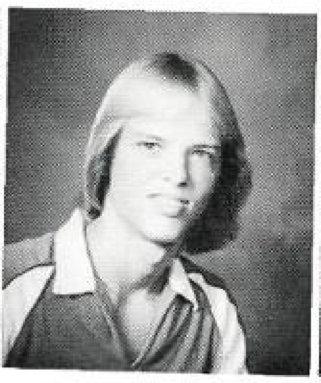
Michelle Bouma


Gary Boyd

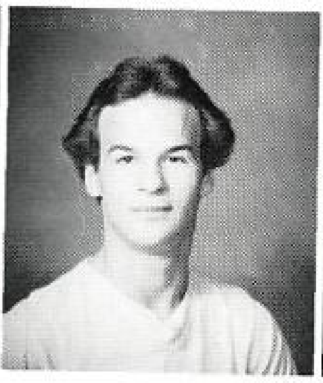

Roger Brady

Renee Braswell

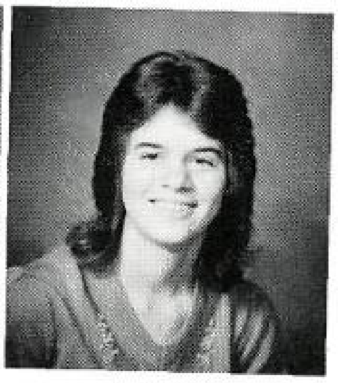

Danny Brewer


Darrell Brewer

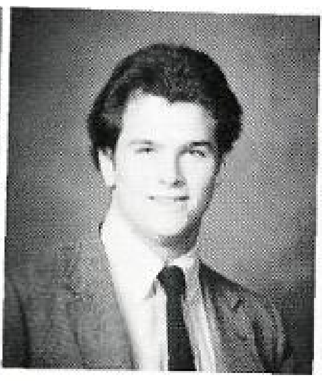
Audra Brown

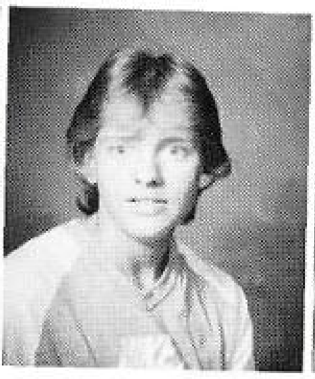

Jerry Buchanan

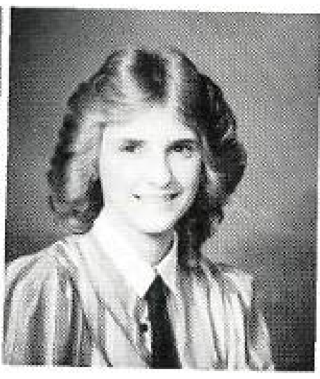
Kathy Buchanan

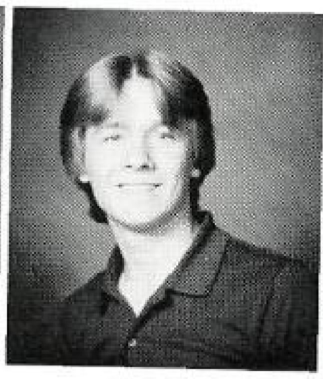

Nancy Buchanan

Andrea Buckner

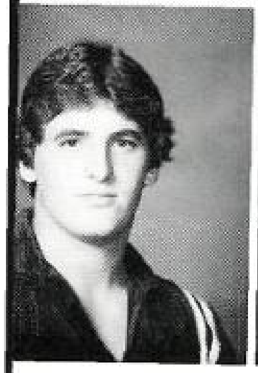

Chris Burke


Mike Burnett


Davida Burton


Shannon Burton

Stephanie Butner

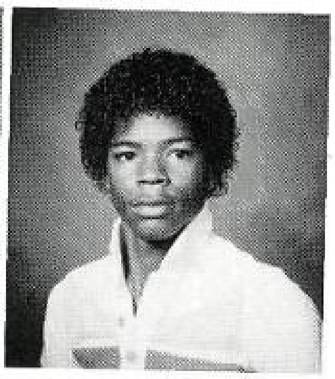

Bobby Cagle

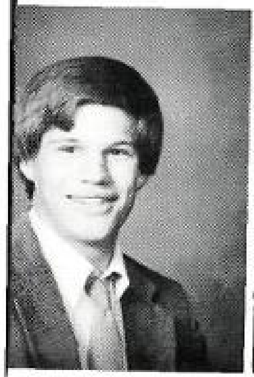
Wesley Camp

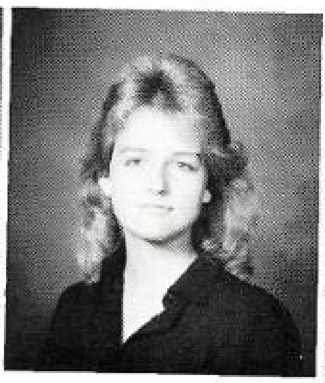
Brenda Cantrell

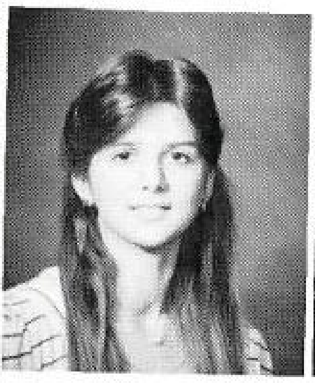
Becky Carden

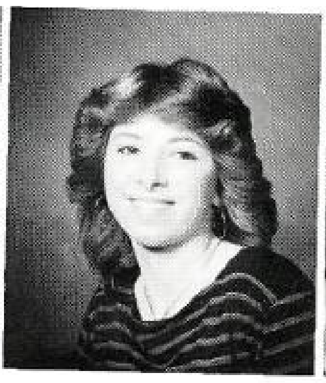
Cindy Carter


Stacy Cason

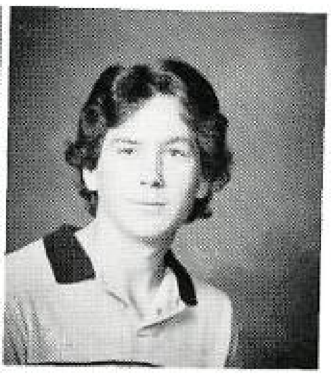

obert Chambless


Adina Cherry

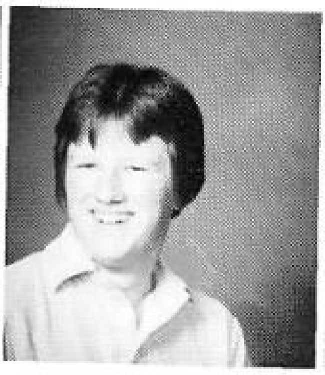

Kathie Childs

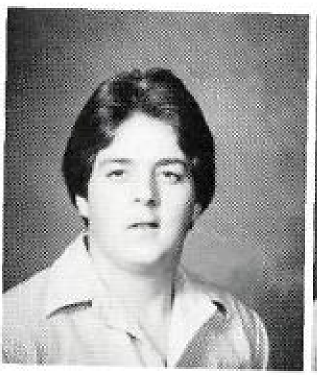

Kim Clark

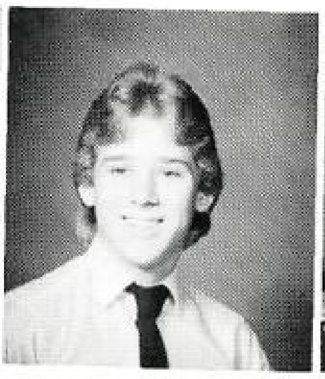
Clay Claxton

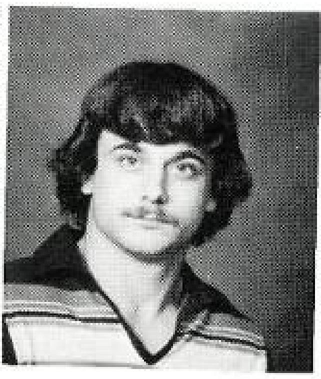

Carl Clement

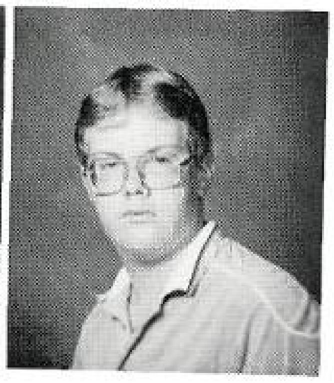
Kim Coleman


Mark Collins


Scott Comer

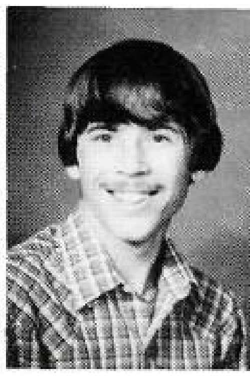

John Cothron

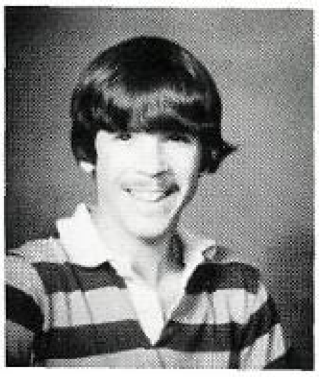

Jay Covington

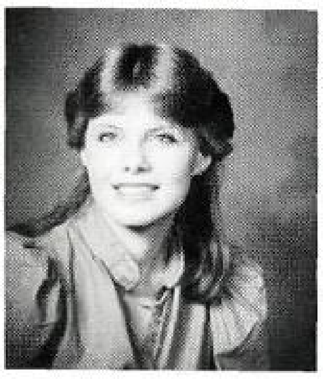

Kurt Craig

Melissa Creighton

Susan Crevison

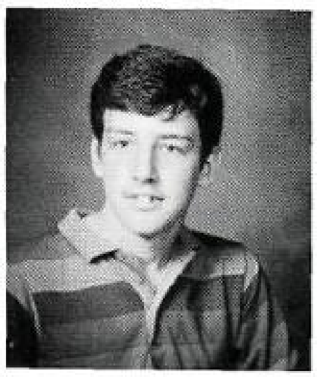

Charlie Crocker

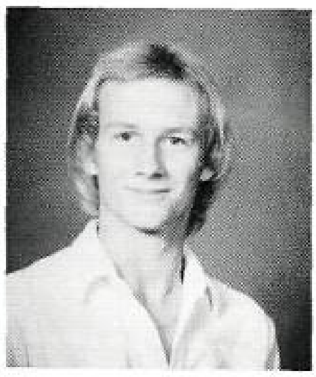

Marty Crocker

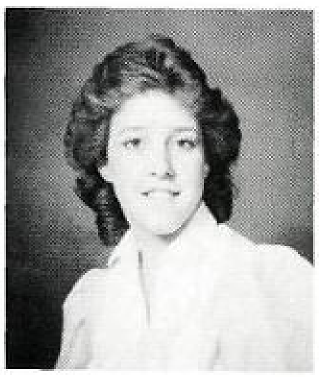

Terrie Cumberland

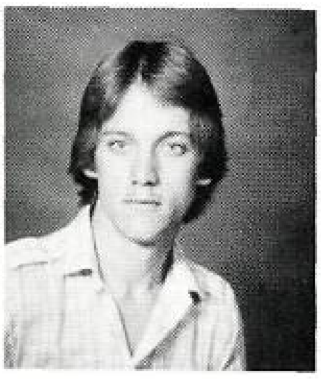
Jenny Curtis

Sharon Davidson


Chris Davis

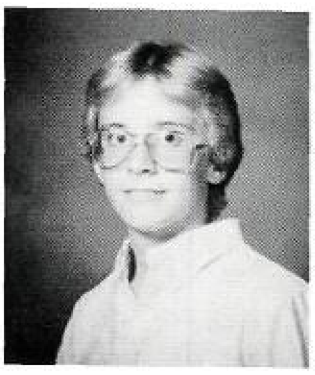

David Davis

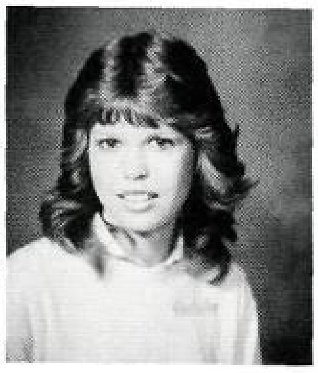

Kim Denton

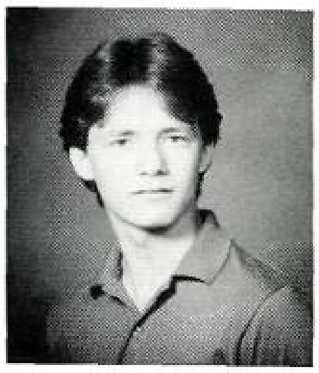

Tim Denton

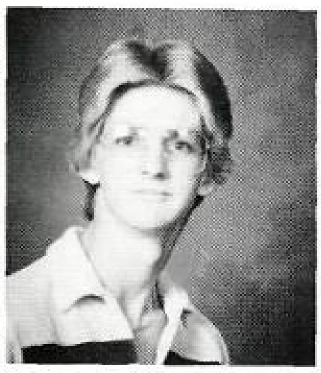
Stephanie Devers

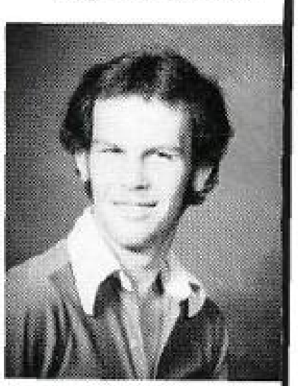
Shelly Dodson

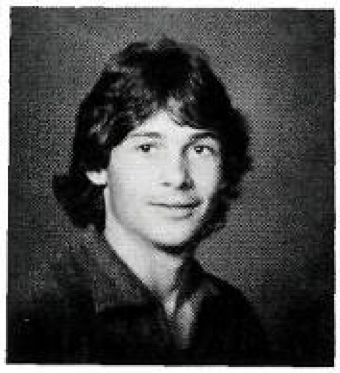

James Duff

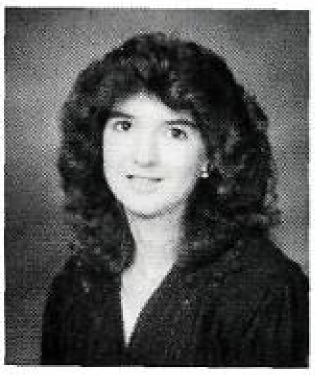

Michelle Duke


Chris Dunn

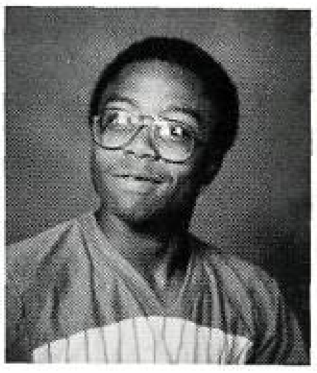

Tim Dye

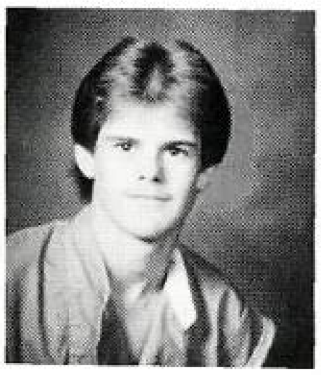

Rick Eccles

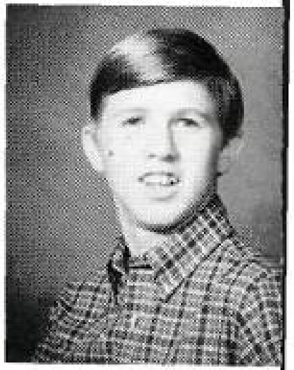

Bobby Elder

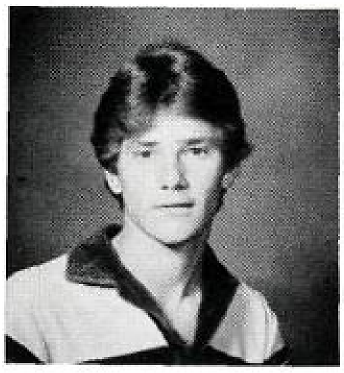

Genia Ellis

Kimberly Estep

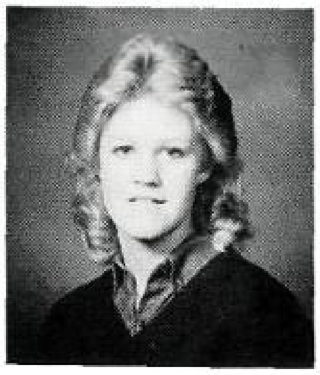

Randy Everson

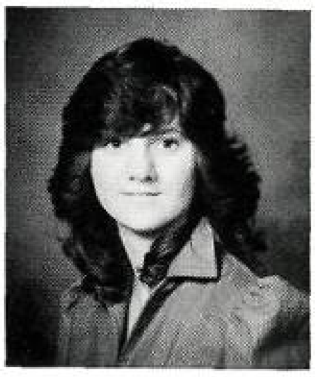

Phillip Ewing

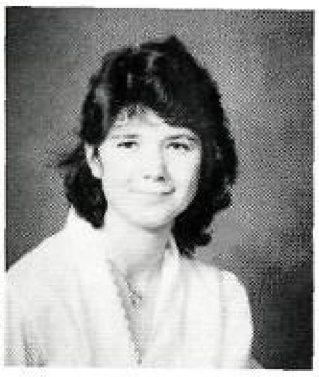

Davis Fann


Harold Farmer

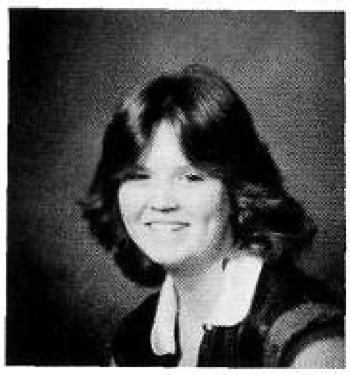
Terri Ferrell

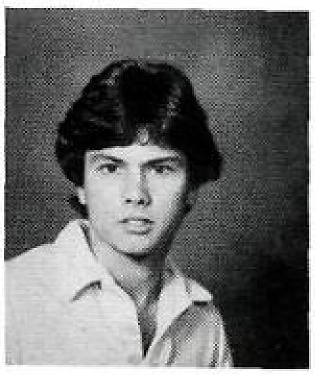

Becky Fields

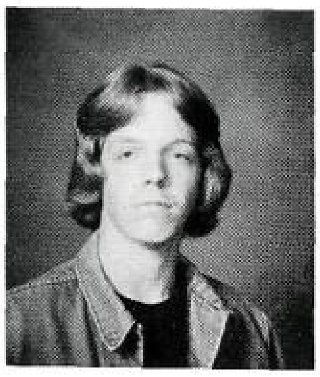

Diane Fisher

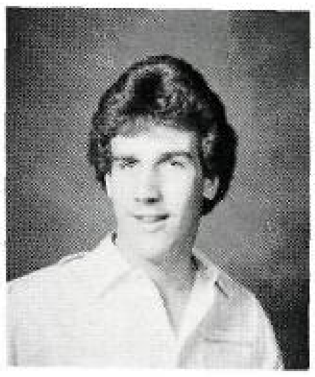

Karen Fisher

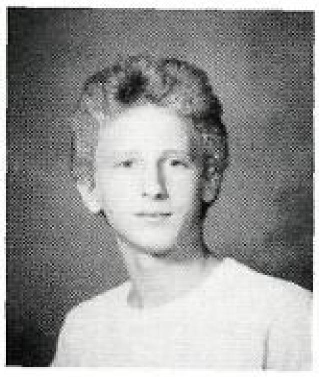
Troy Flippen


Kim Flowerdew


Tracy Frame


Brian Frasher


Kenton Friend


Billy Gailey

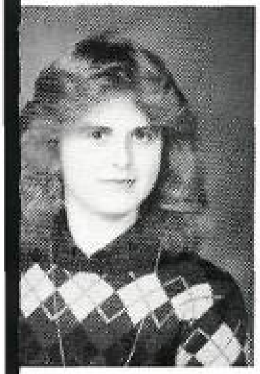
Jana Galyon

By Invitation Only

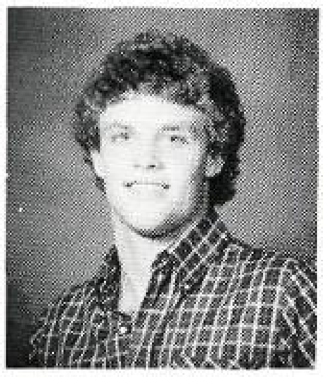
Smyrna High School has many organizations which recognize students with academic superiority. These clubs invite students who have met various qualifications to become affiliated with their club. One of these organizations is the National Honor Society.

The National Honor Society held its induction ceremony on November 8 in front of an assembly of parents, various classes, and faculty members. The eleven juniors and two seniors who were invited had maintained a 3.5 grade point average, attended S.H.S. for at least one year, never made a grade below a C on a six weeks grade, and exhibited the qualities of scholarship, character, service, and leadership.

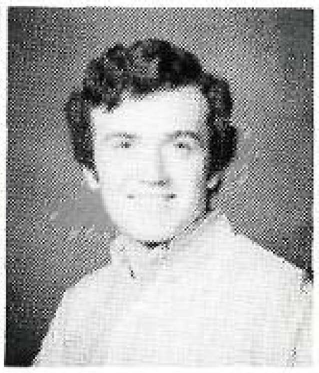
Receiving That Special Recognition. *Senior National Honor Society member Martha Harris pins the ribbon of recognition on new member Angela Peyton before escorting her to the stage.*



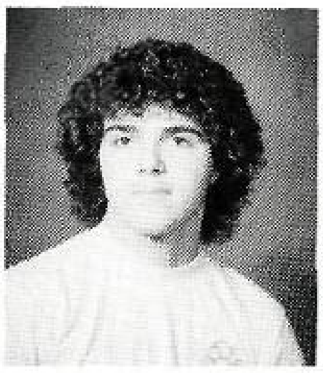
inger Gammons



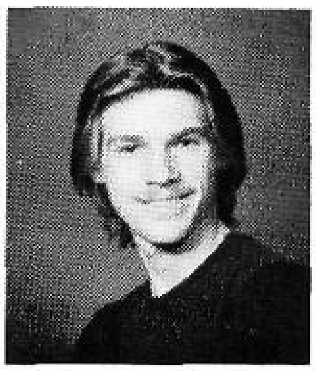
Ed Garner



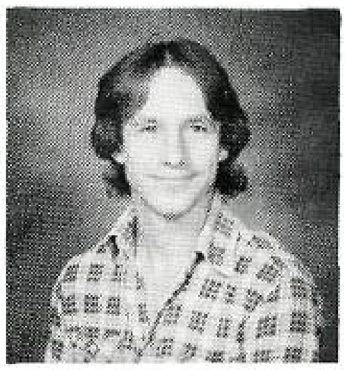
Glenn Garner



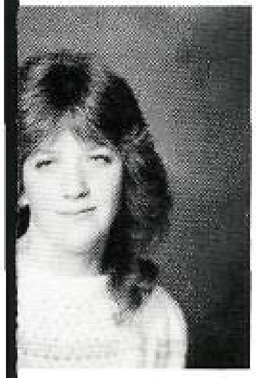
Mike Garrison



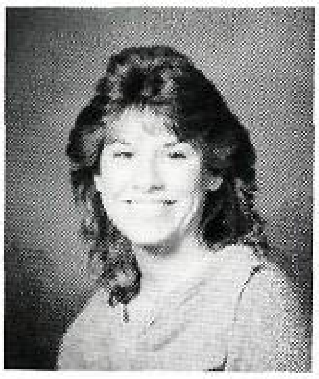
David Gasser



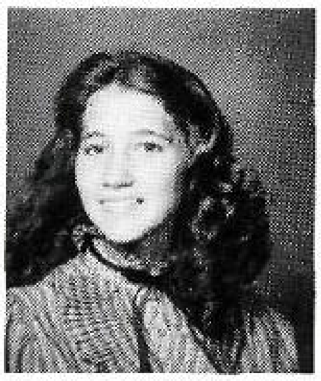
Gary Gates



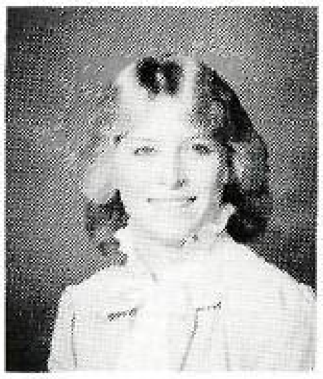
Gwen Gentry



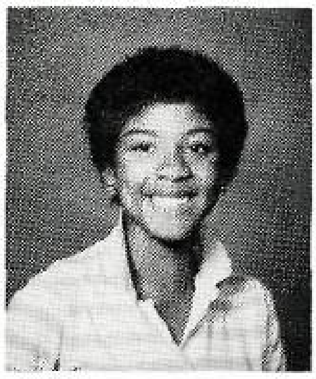
Lyn Gilliland



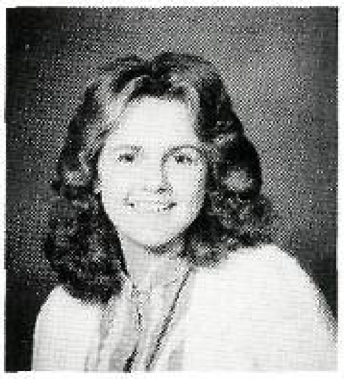
Melanie Glover



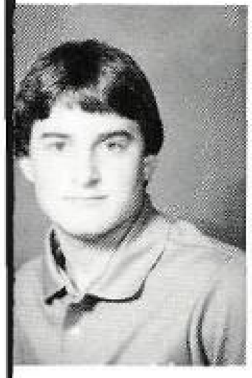
Sonia Good



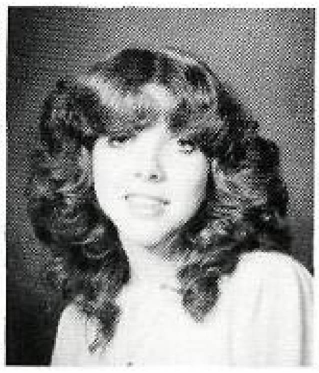
Stacey Grandieson



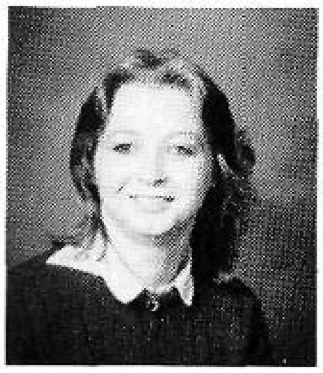
Sherri Greene



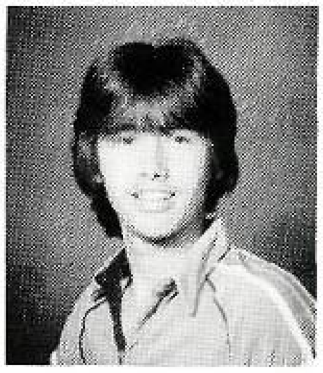
Ricky Greer



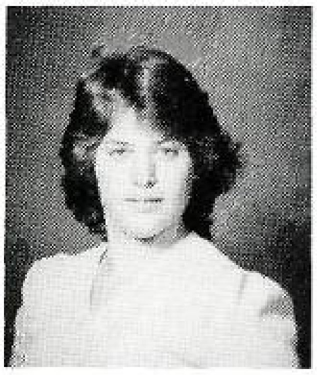
Susan Griggs



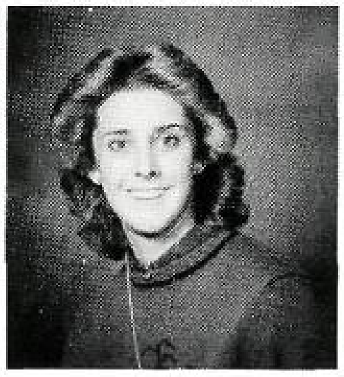
Connie Hadley



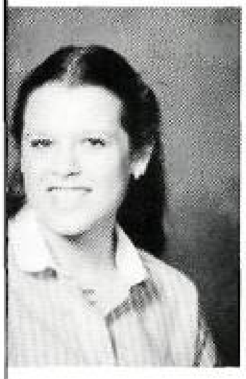
Bill Hailey



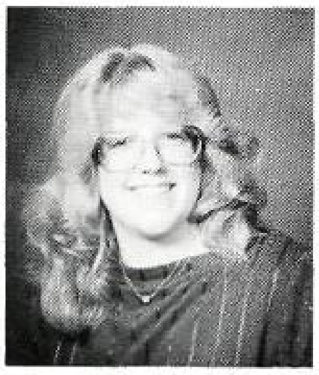
Greta Hale



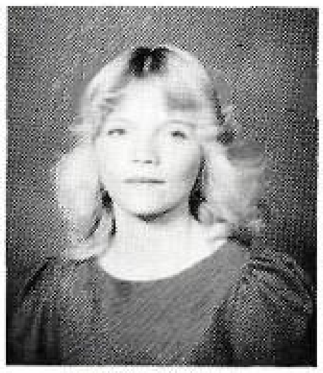
Wendy Hale



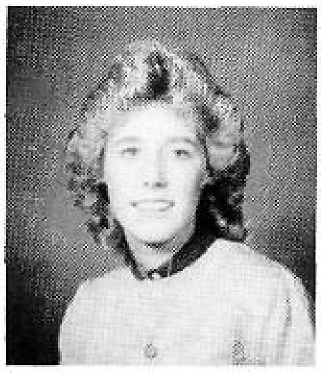
Tara Hall



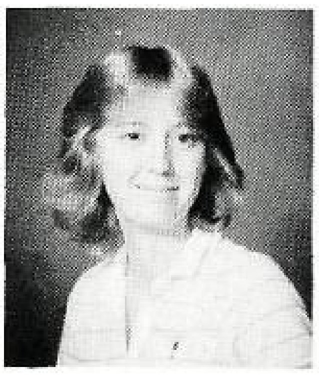
Amy Halliburton



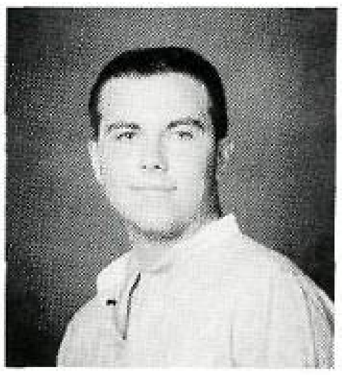
Rena Hallum



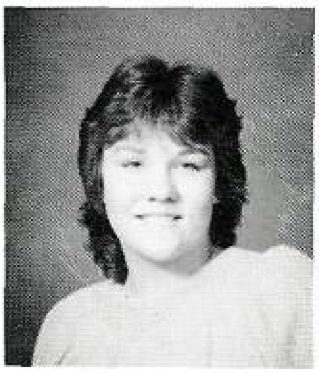
Teresa Hancock

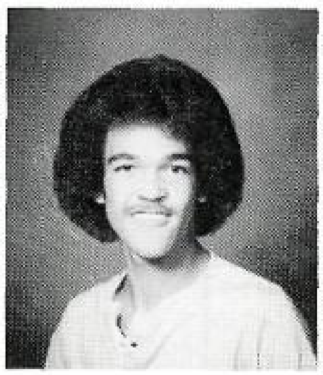


Lynn Hankammer

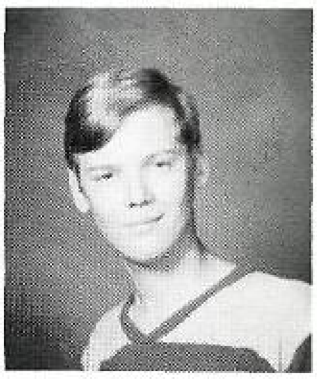


Don Hardeman

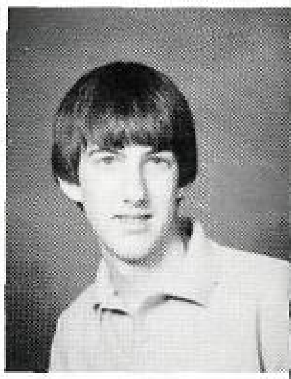

LeAnn Harper

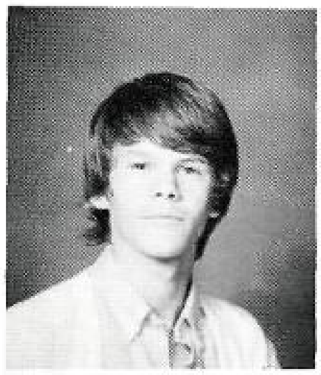

Lee Harper

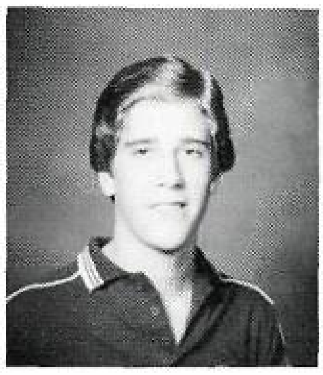
Tabbie Hassell

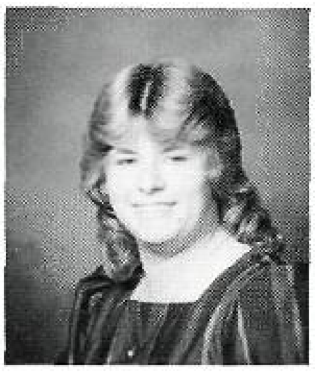

Richard Hatcher

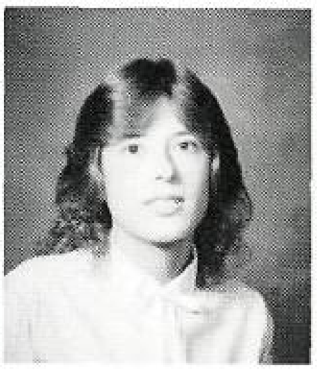
Melissa Hawn

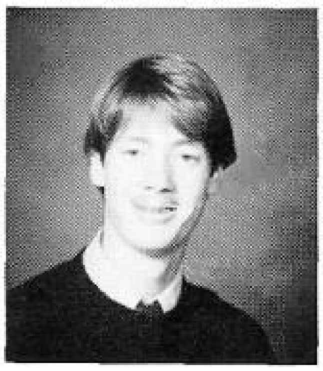

Tom Hayes

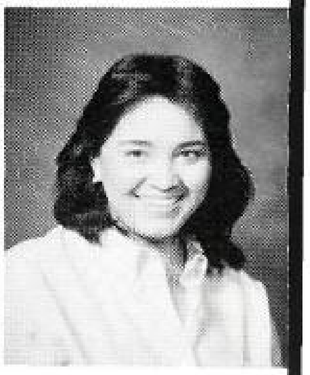

Joe Hays

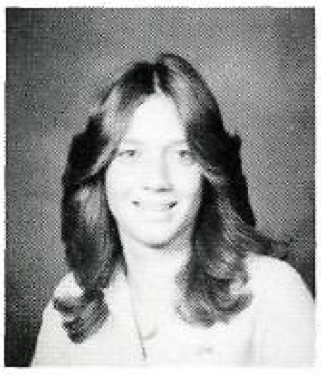

Steve Heath

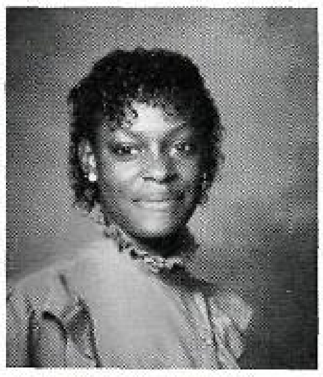

Beth Helms

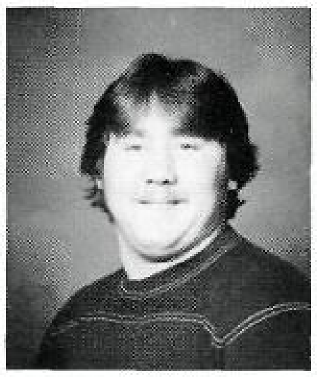

Tina Herron

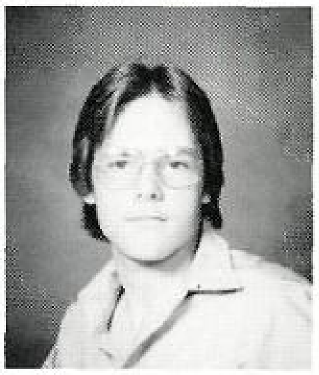

Matthew Hetman

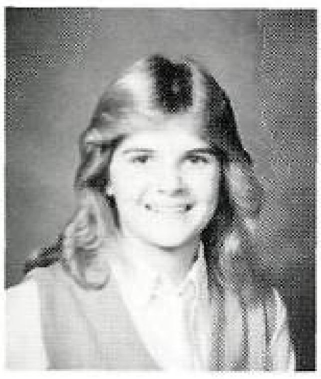

Shannon Hidalgo


Kathy Higgins

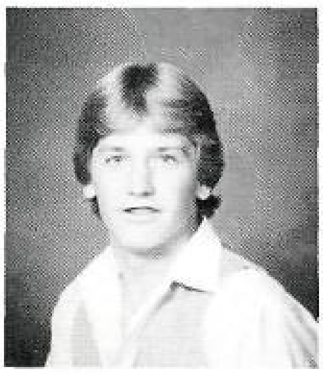

Shelia Holloway


Randy Holmes


Tim Hoover

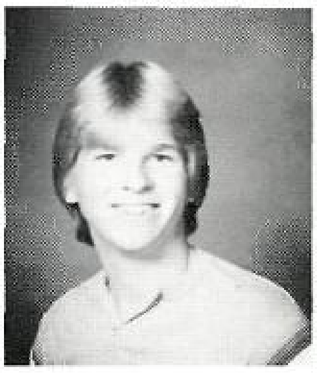

Tamatha Hopkins

Ginger Horskins


Mike Hosford

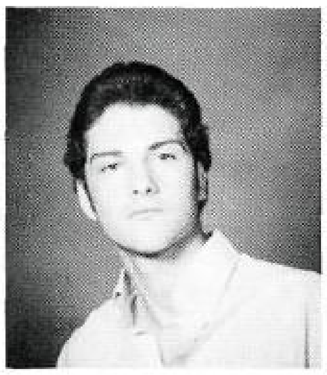
Dewey Hunter

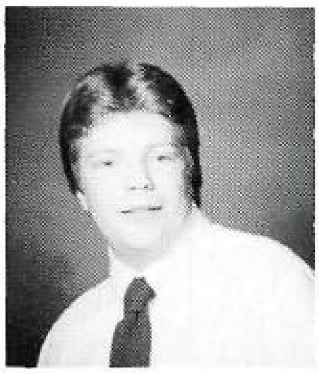
Michelle Ivey

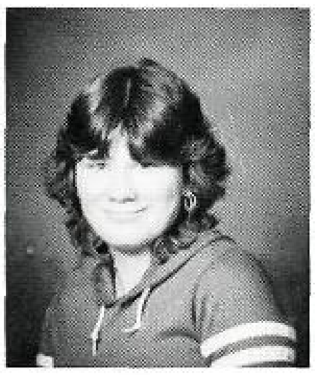

Stacy Jackson

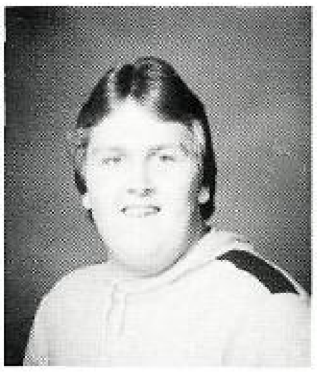
Angela Jacobs

Kim Jamison


Dale Jedlicki


Kevin Jenkins

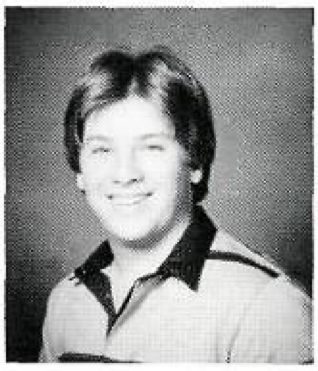

Rene Jenkins


Gary Jernigan

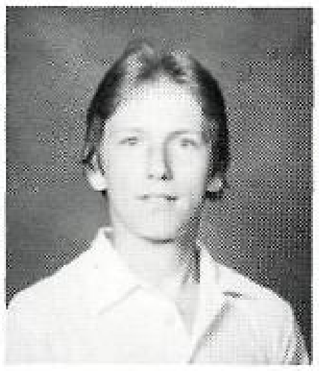
Cindy Johnson

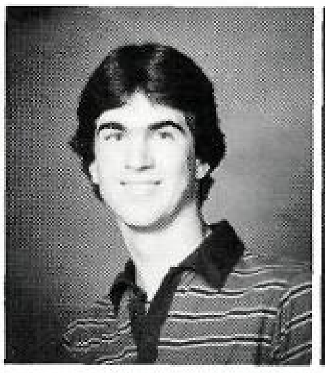
Connie Johnson

Rhonda Johnson


Mark Jones

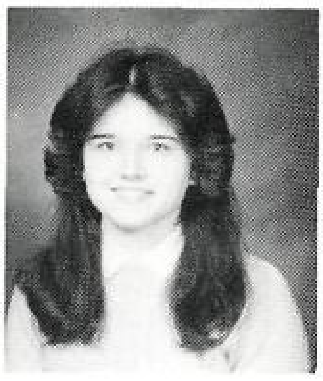
Karen Kaczneski

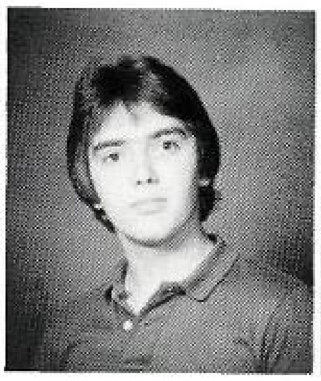

Ricky Kallman


Wally Kennon

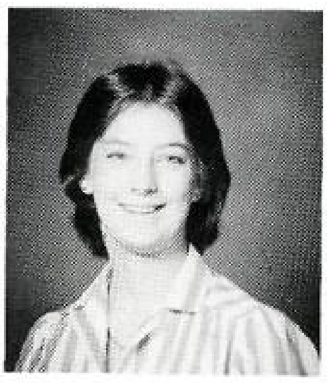
Glenn Kidd

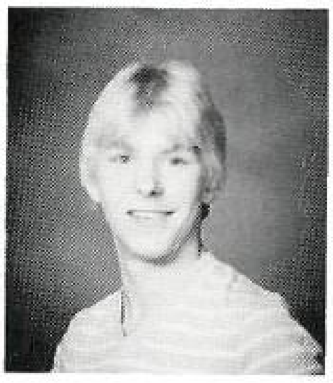
Kim King

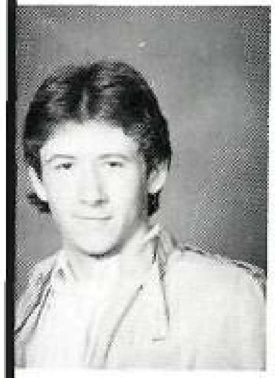

Alicia Kirk

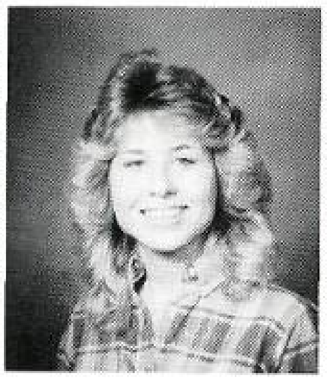

Kenneth Kuzeroski

Jeanita Kynard


Kim Lackey

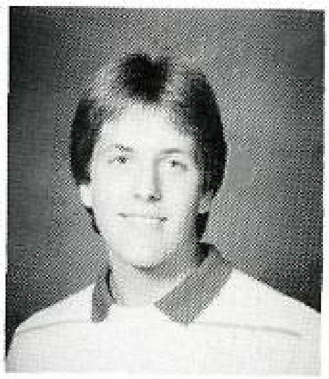

Charles Lambert


Terry Lamon

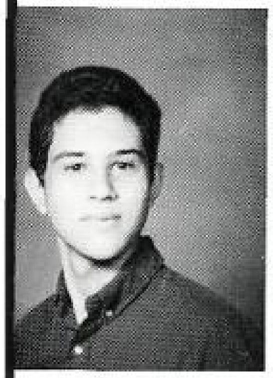

Teresa Landry

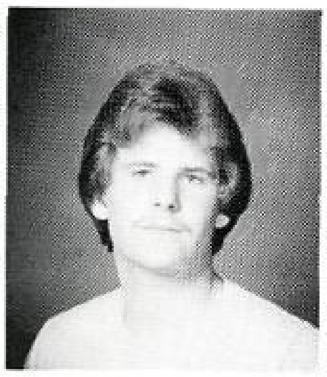
Carren Leckie

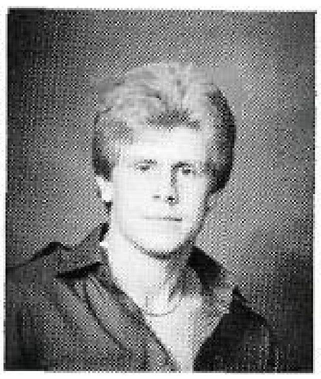
Donna LeClaire

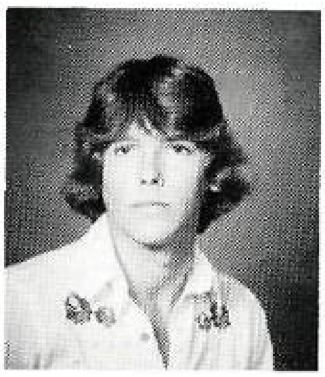

Jim LeeMaster

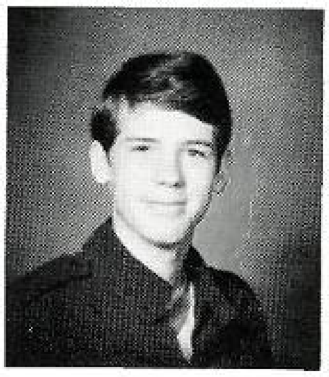
Linda Lewis

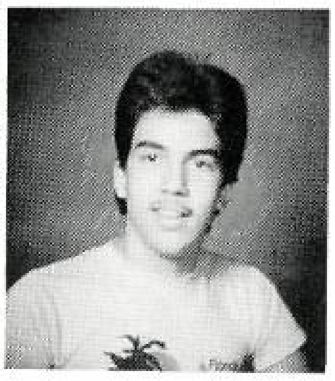

David Licon

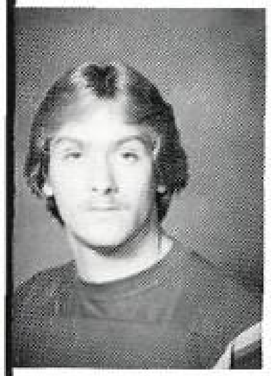

Mark Livesay

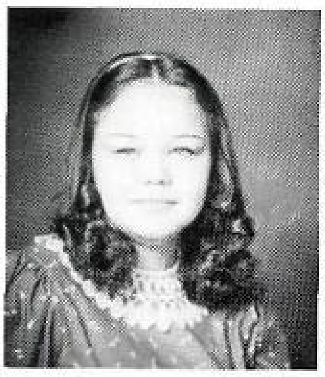

Todd Loggins

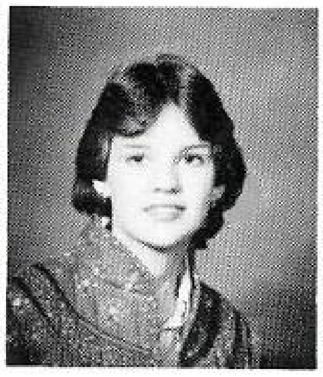

Robin Loudermilk


Willie Loyd

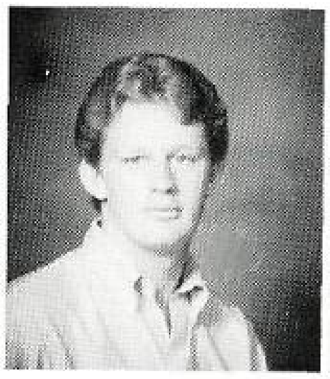

Dave Martin

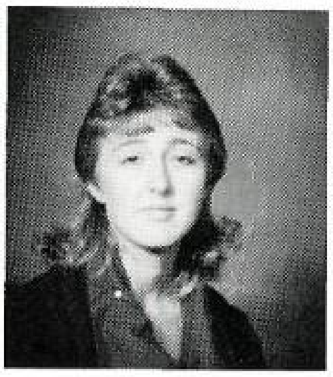

Oley Martin


Tammy Martin


Leona Maston

Rachel Mattox


Randy McArthur


Andrea McBrayer

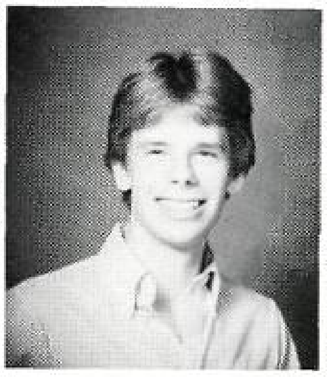
tured are students, faculty, committee members, and representatives of Anderson Computers who gathered r a planning meeting.

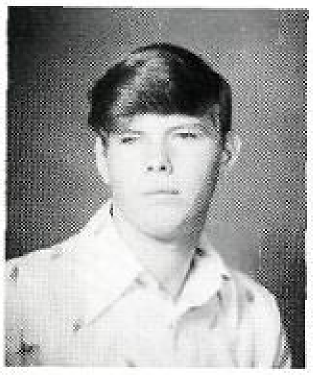
Anderson Computers Adopts S.H.S.

The nation-wide "Adopt-A-School" program is designed to encourage greater community interest in schools by strengthening public education through community resources. Through this program, Smyrna High School was adopted by Anderson Computers Company.

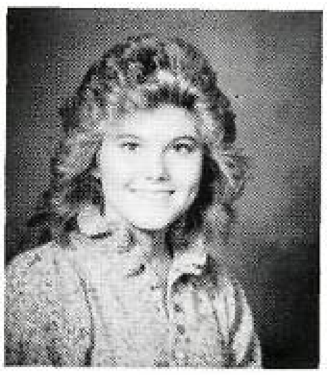
In the "Adopt-A-School" program, both the adopter and the school benefit. The adopter obtains satisfaction in public relations and service through the community while the school derives benefits through the community's dedicated commitment to assist in the development of the full educational potential of a school. The students benefit from the increased exposure to the world of business. The development of positive attitudes is the most important and designed outcome of this program.

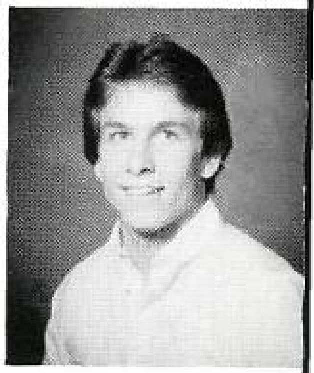
Chloe McClure

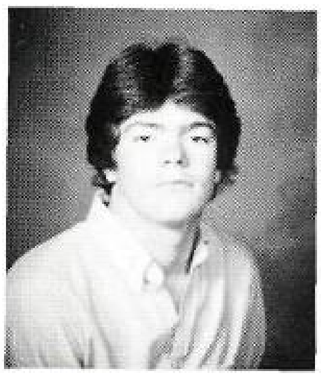

David McCormick

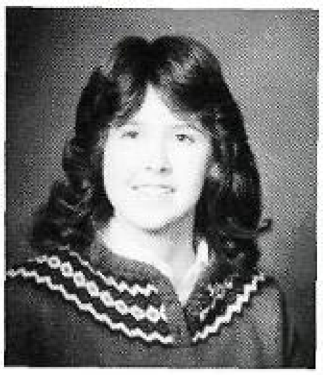

Mike McCormick

Tammy McCoy

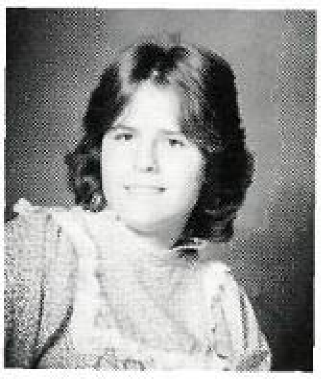

Tammy McDaniel

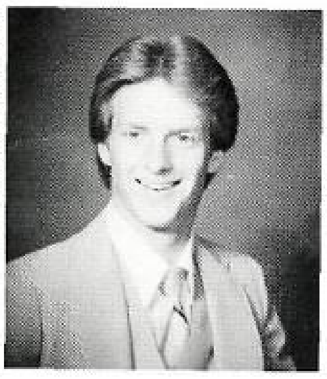

Randy McGlaun

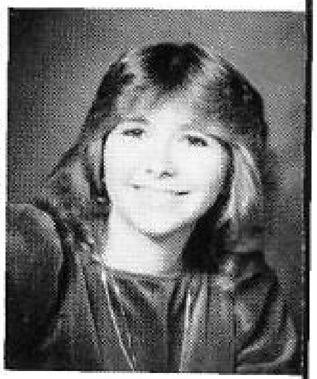

David McGowen

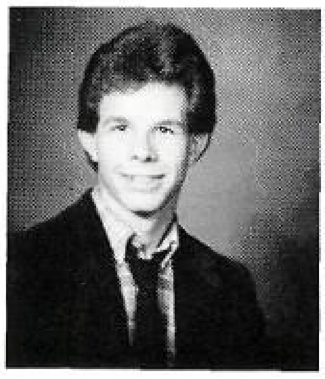

Ellen Meacham

Diane Melton

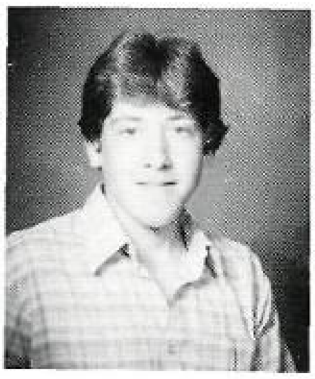

Sherry Milam


Andy Miller

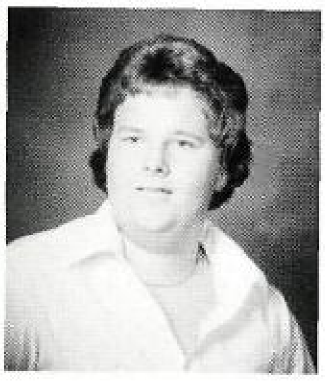

Cheryl Miller

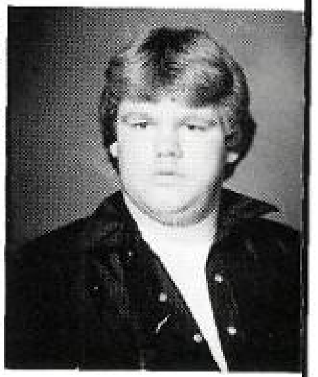

David Miller

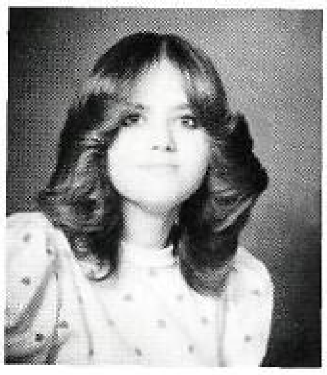
Stephanie Mingle


Mike Minnich

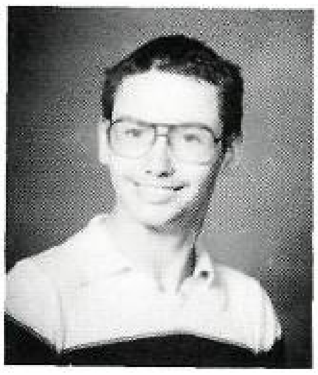
Angie Mitchell

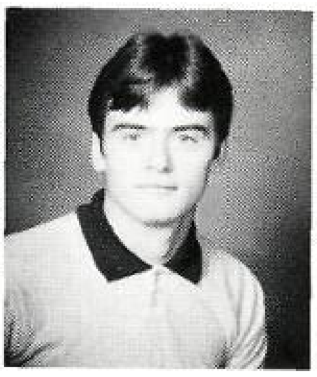

Ken Mooneyham

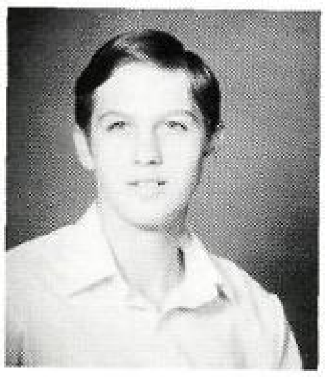

Billy Moore

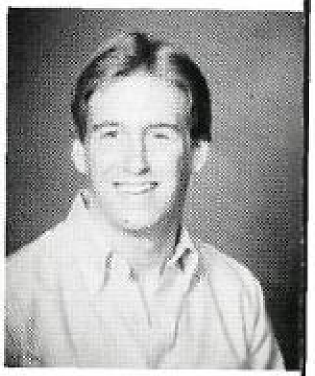

Donna Morgan

Lisa Morgan

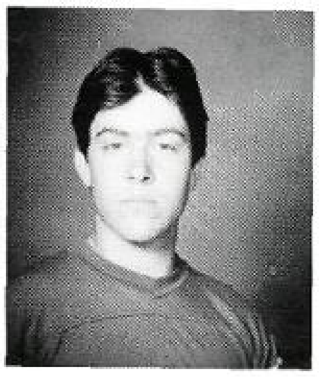

Robert Morrison

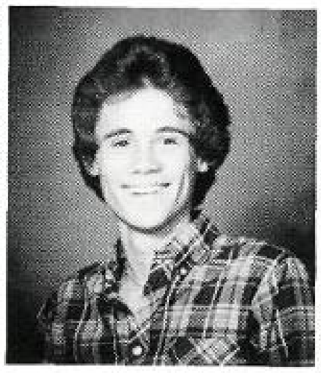

Bobby Mullins

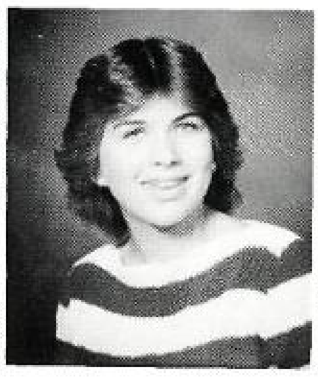

James Mullins

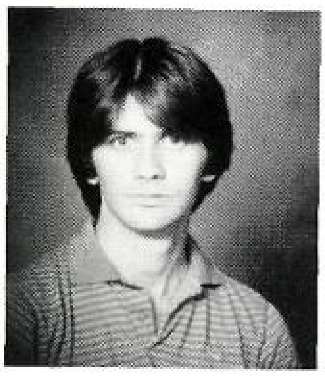

Steve Mullins

Donna Murray

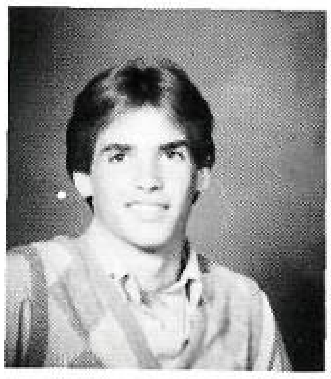

Dennis Murre


Thane Myers

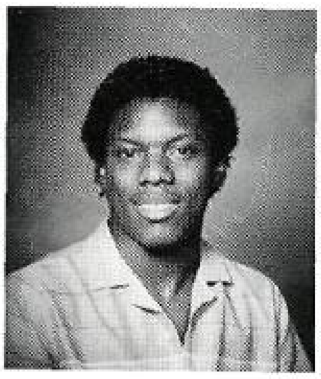

Kelli Neel


Andy Noe

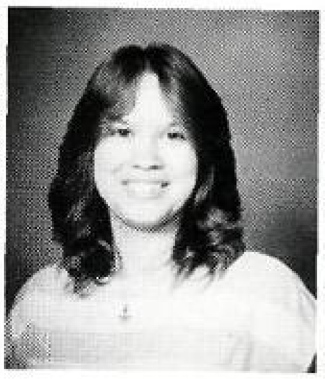
Kim Nolin

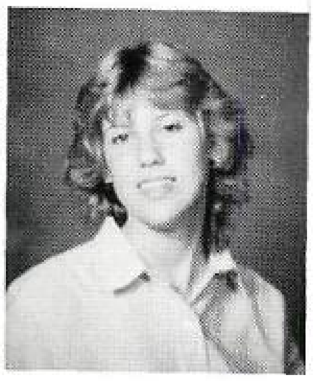

Billy Norton

Linda Nunn

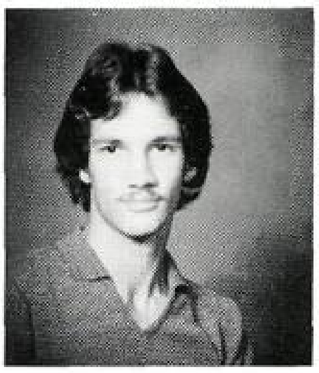

Tommy O'Bryant

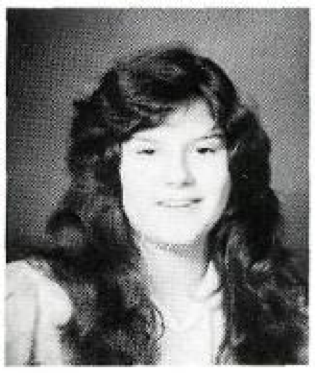
Angel Orlando


Cindy Oxendine

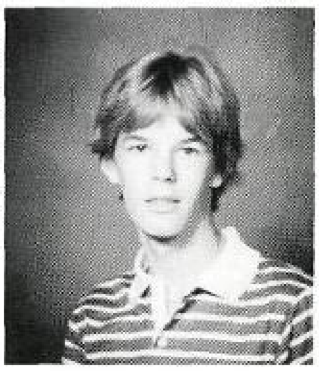

Donya Oxley

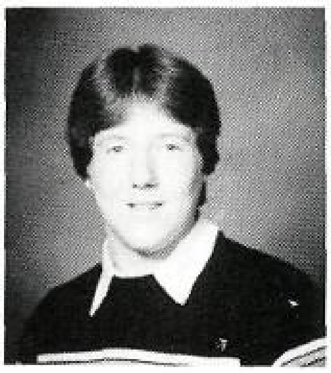
Renay Pack


Dale Page

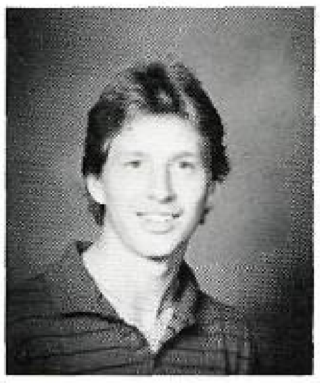

Marie Painter

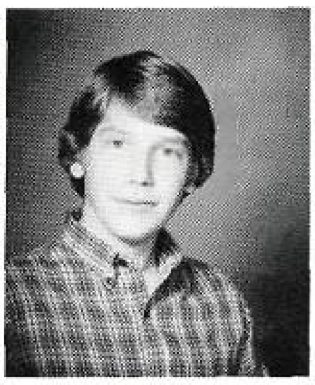
Jamie Palmer


Jon Parker


Mike Parker

Merri Parman

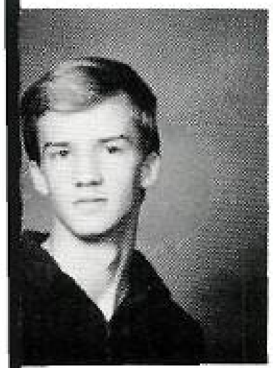

David Parrish

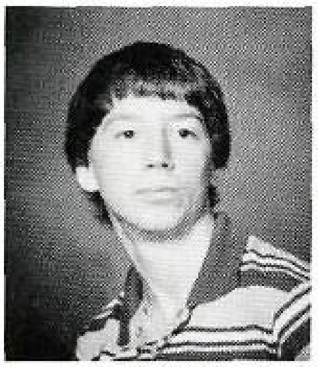

Charles Patterson

Deanna Patton

Jay Perry

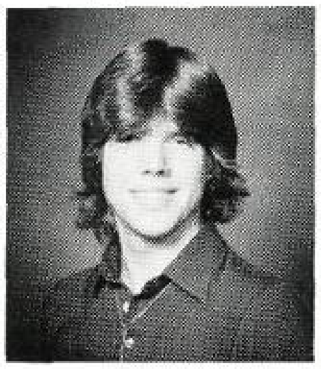
Angela Peyton

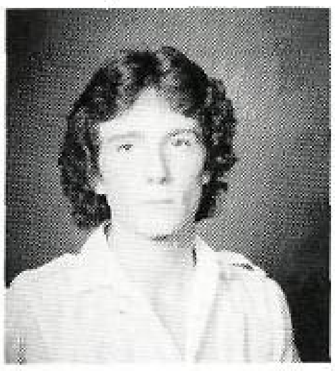

harles Phelan

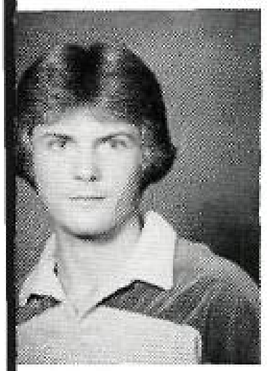

Gary Phelps

Randy Phifer

Cindy Phillips

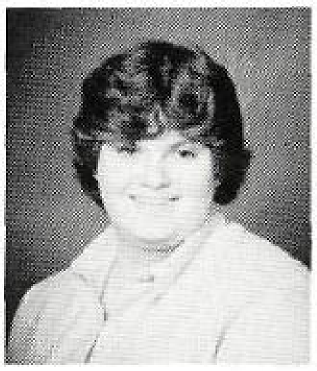

Paul Platt


Mike Poteet


Ricky Potts

Sharon Prosser

Sherry Prosser


Beth Purser

Carl Quattlebaum

Kathy Ragland

The Perfect Junior

*The **Gold Dust** staff conducted a survey in which junior girls escribed the perfect junior boy and junior boys described the perfect nior girl. These descriptions were based on eye color, hair color, ight, and weight. Results were as follows:*

The Perfect Junior Girl
***hair** — blonde*
***eyes** — blue*
***height** — 5'5"*
***weight** — 110 lbs.*

The Perfect Junior Boy
***hair** — dark brown*
***eyes** — brown*
***height** — 5'11½"*
***weight** — 166 lbs.*

What Would You Take?

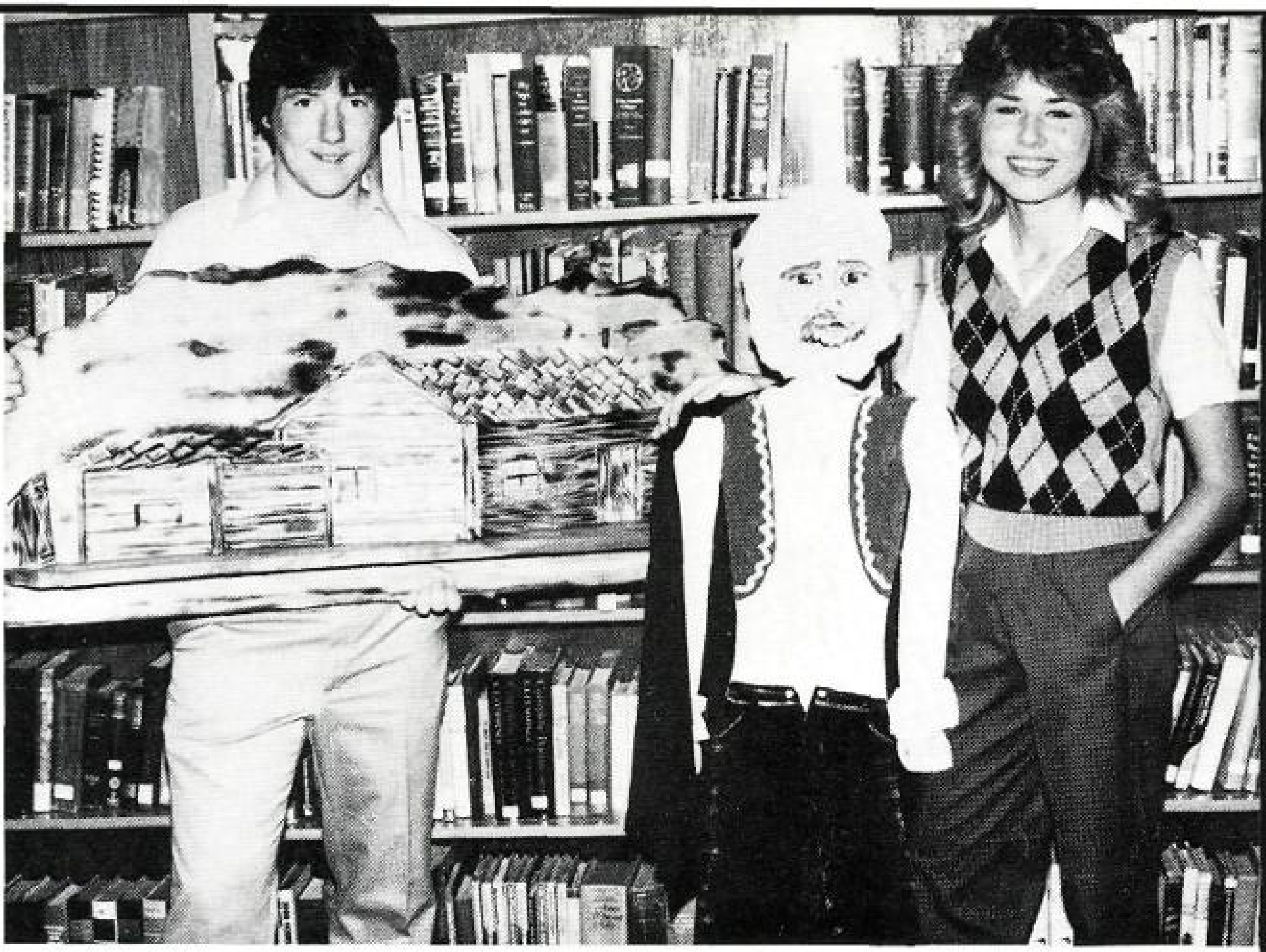
What three items would you take with you while living on a deserted island for a long period of time? This was a question which the juniors answered in many ways. The top ten answers are below:

1. *food*
2. *friends*
3. *water*
4. *radio*
5. *clothes*
6. *T.V.*
7. *books/magazines*
8. *shelter*
9. *toothbrush*
10. *matches*

A Required Course

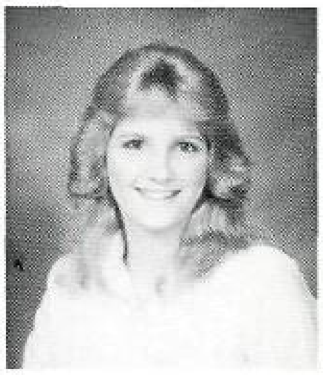
One of the required courses for the members of the junior class is American history — the study of our country's heritage, leaders, laws, freedoms, battles, principles, inventors, and involvement with other countries. The study of American history requires the remembrance of important dates, such as July 4, 1776, and the details of important battles, such as the Battle of Gettysburg, and the Battle of Lexington and Concord. The juniors also study famous Presidents and soldiers, such as Andrew Jackson and Paul Revere, and famous inventors and business men, such as Thomas Edison, Andrew Carnegie, and Alexander Graham Bell.

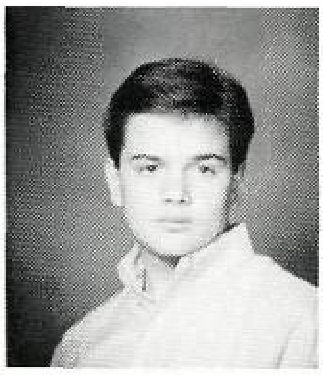
Some of the history classes are required to complete an American history project. Others are required to do research on an important figure in our country's history and relay the information discovered to the class in an oral report. Mike Parker and Teresa Landry are pictured with their projects.

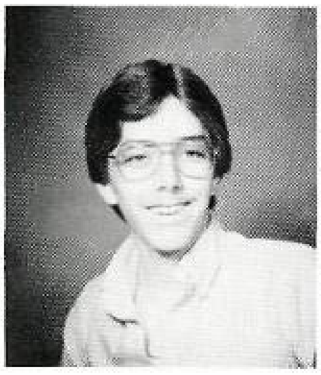


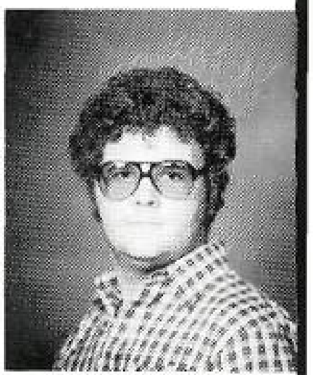
Kathy Raleigh

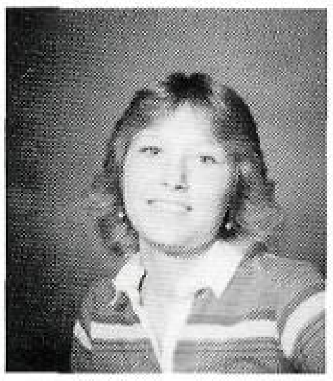
Debbie Raymer

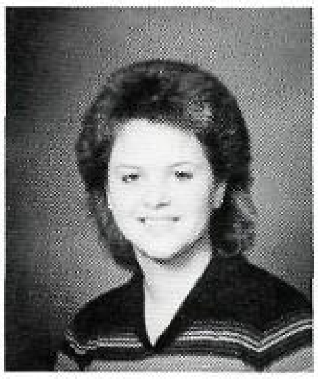

Debbie Reed

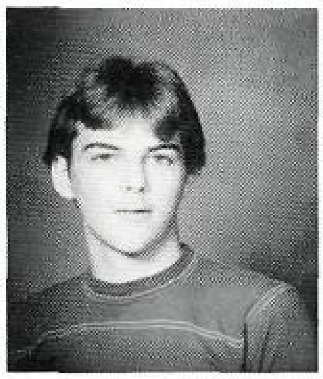

Lee Reeves


Bucky Rice

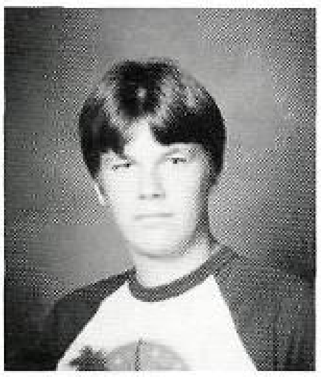

Steve Ricketts

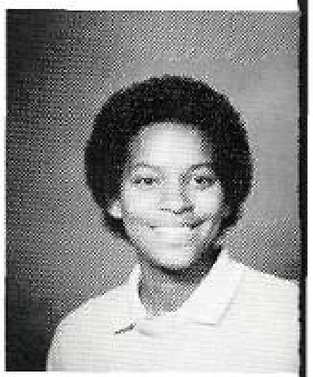

Michelle Rinehart

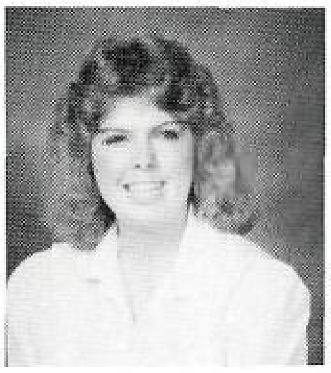

Amy Ritenour


Steve Roberson

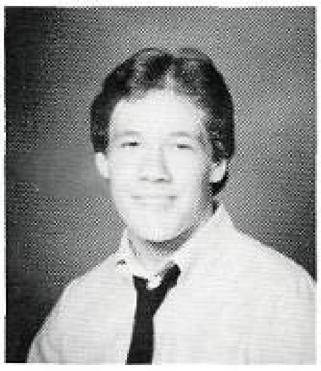
Rod Roberts


Stephen Russell

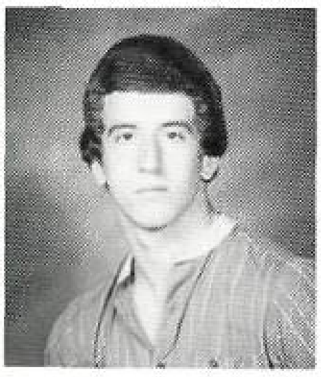

Yolanda Sales


Peggy Sanders

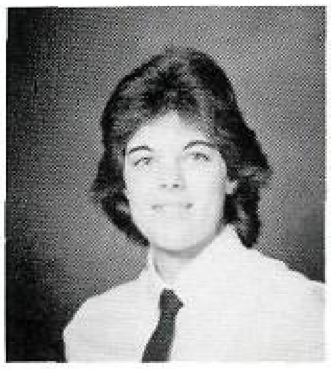
Robin Sanders

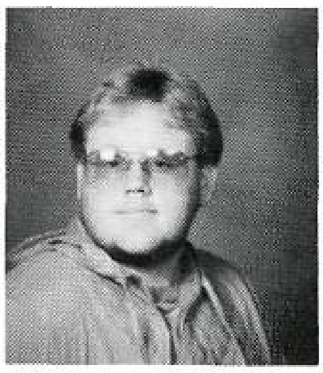

Steve Scarlett

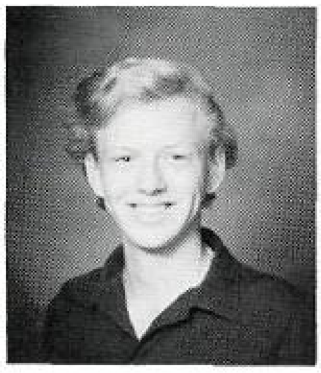
Lisa Sexton


Philip Shadowens

Chris Sholar

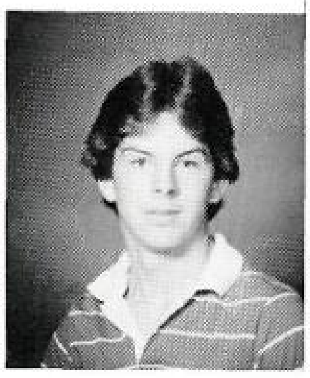

Thresa Silverest


Greg Simpson


Tim Simpson

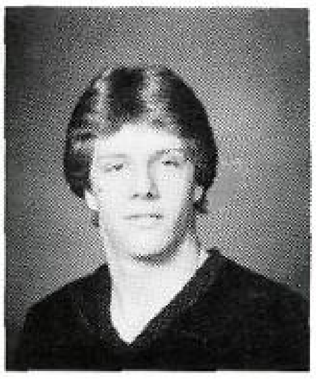
Christy Slaughter

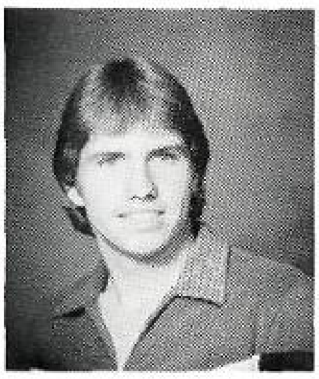
Mechelle Smart


Alan Smith

Kim Smith

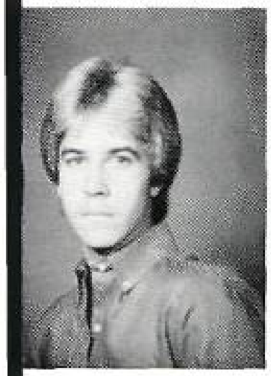
Sandy Smith


Sammy Snell


Richard Southerland

Roy Spain

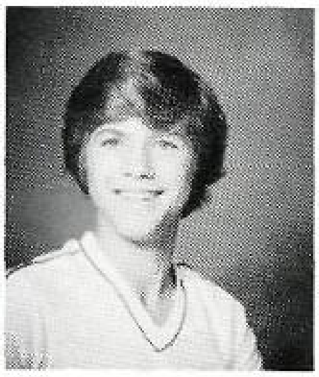
Lisa Spann

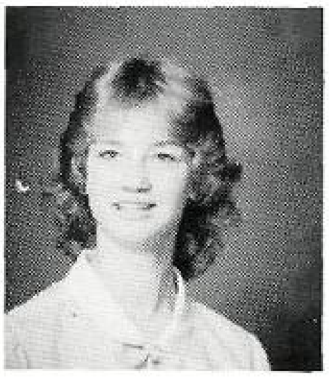

Mike Sparks

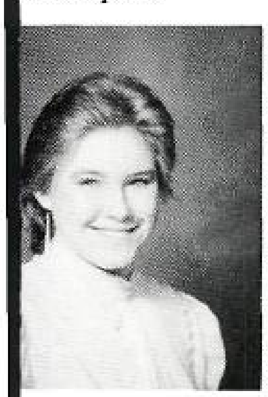
Patty Sparks

Kris Spencer

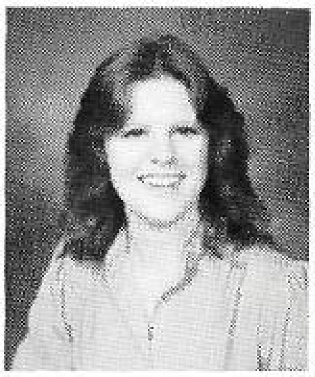
JoAnn Sprague


Mike Stehno

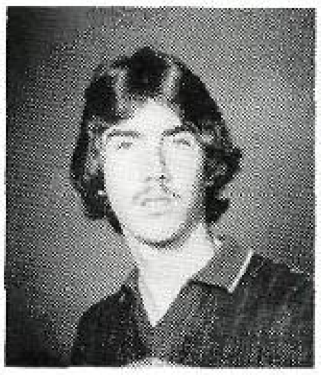

Paige Stem


ngela Stephens

Karrie Stevens


Stephanie Stoner

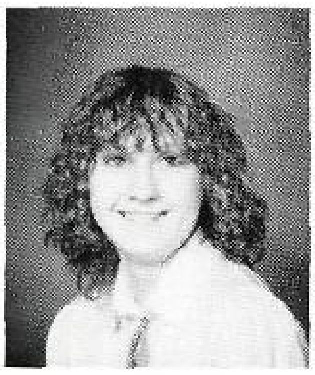
Jennifer Stotler

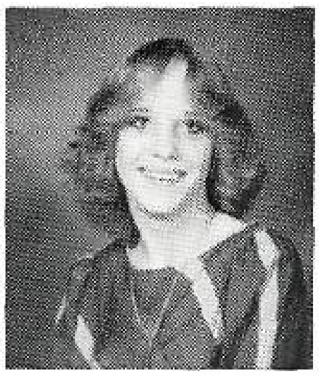

Nick Stroud

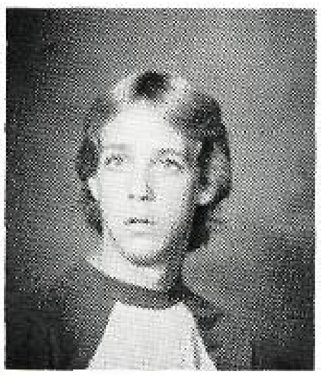
Sharon Szuhay

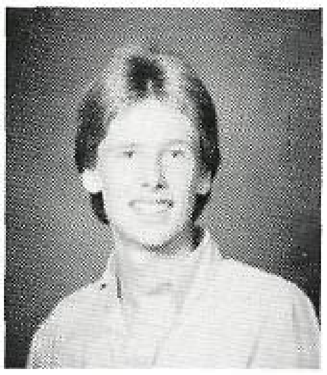
indy Taliaferro

Tammy Tallant

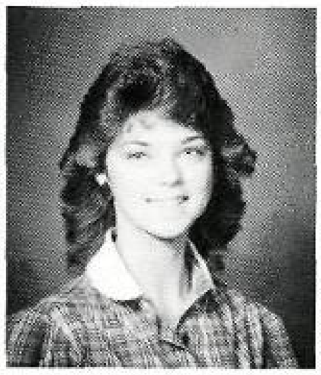

Terri Thacker


Mechel Thomas

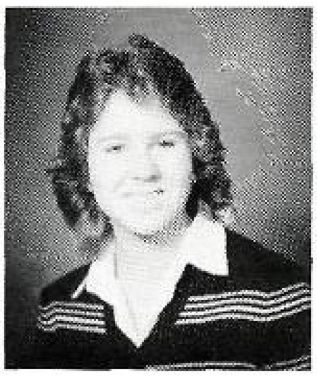

Randy Thomason

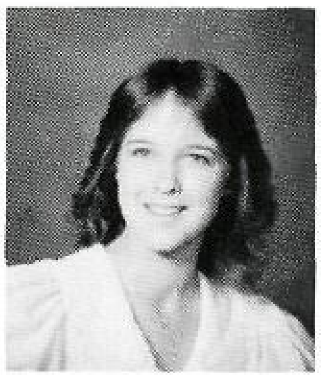

Danny Tolleson

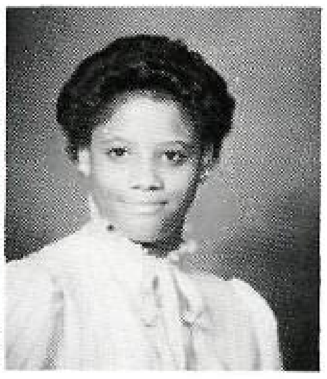
alerie Tomlin


Becky Travis .

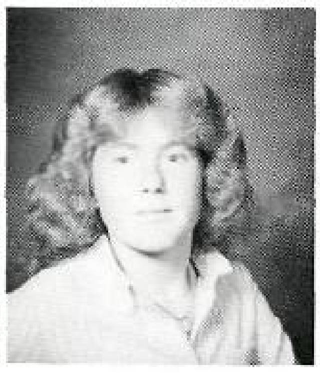
Melissa Tubb

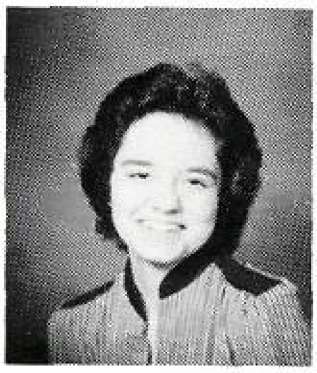

Ida Tucker

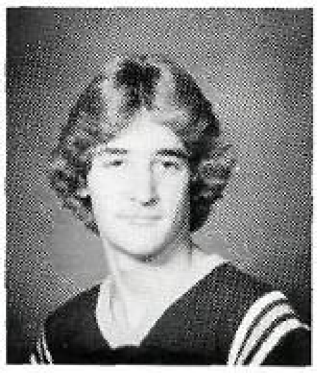

Shelley Tucker

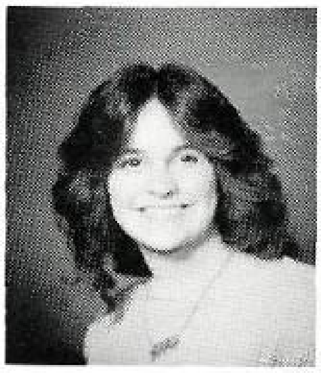

Becky Turner

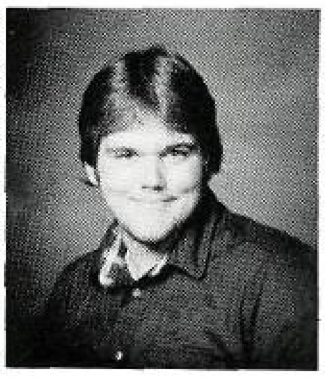
ester Turner

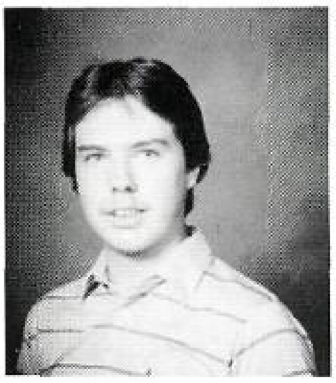

Lisa Utley

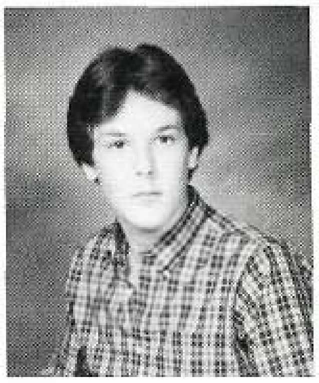

Cammie Vaughn

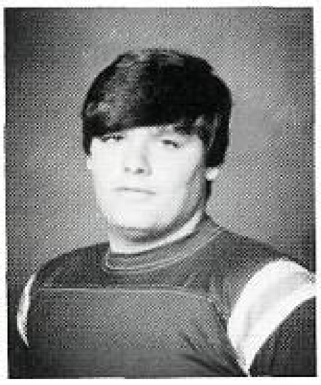

Mark Vaughn

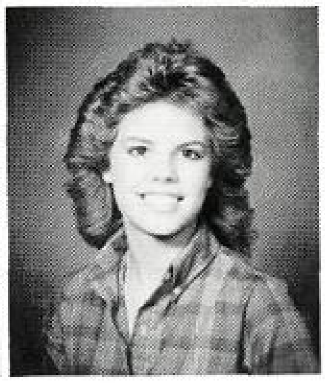

Tammy Vaughn

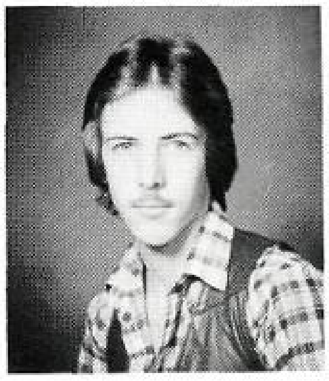

James Victory


James Vogler

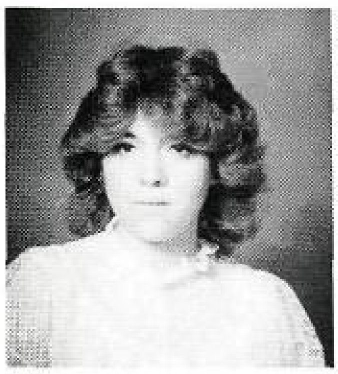

John Walker


Charles Walton

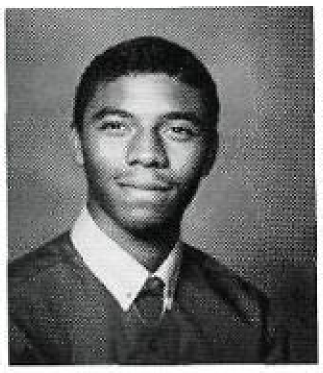

Paige Ward

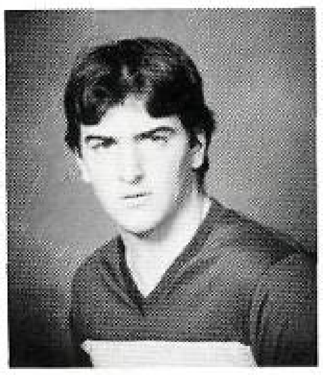

Brad Watson

James Watson

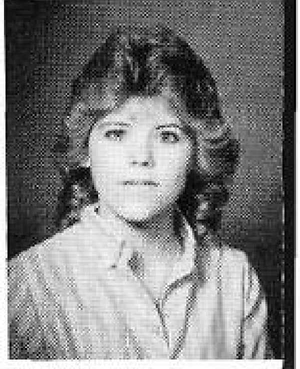

Judy Watson

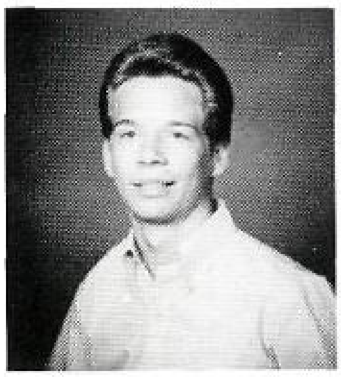
Lori Watson

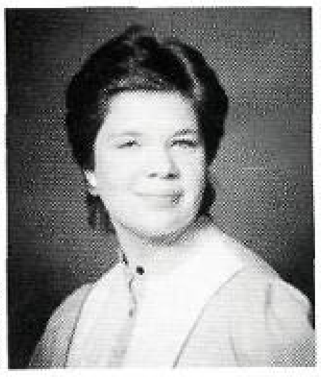

Tommy Way


Scott West

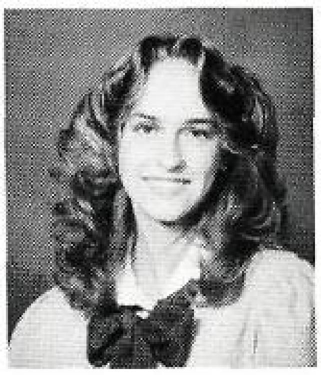
Teresa White

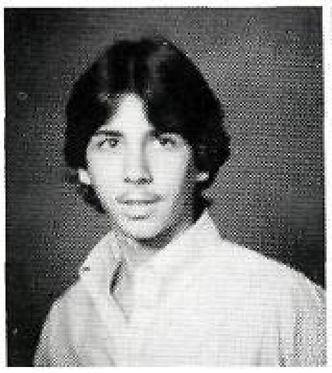

Jama Whitehead


Kelly Whitefield


Marie Williams

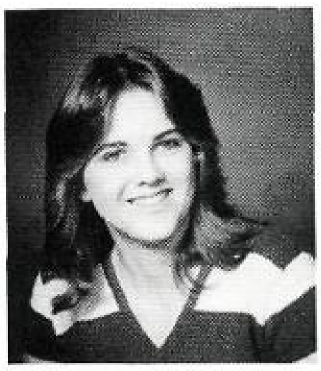
Tammy Williams


Sherrie Williamson

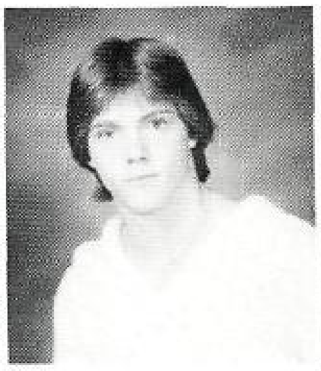

Greg Wilson

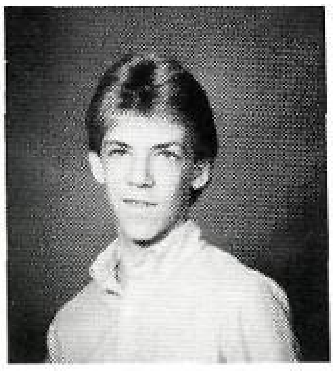
Lisa Wilson

Paula Wilson


Samantha Wilson

Tammy Wilson


Mike Winfree

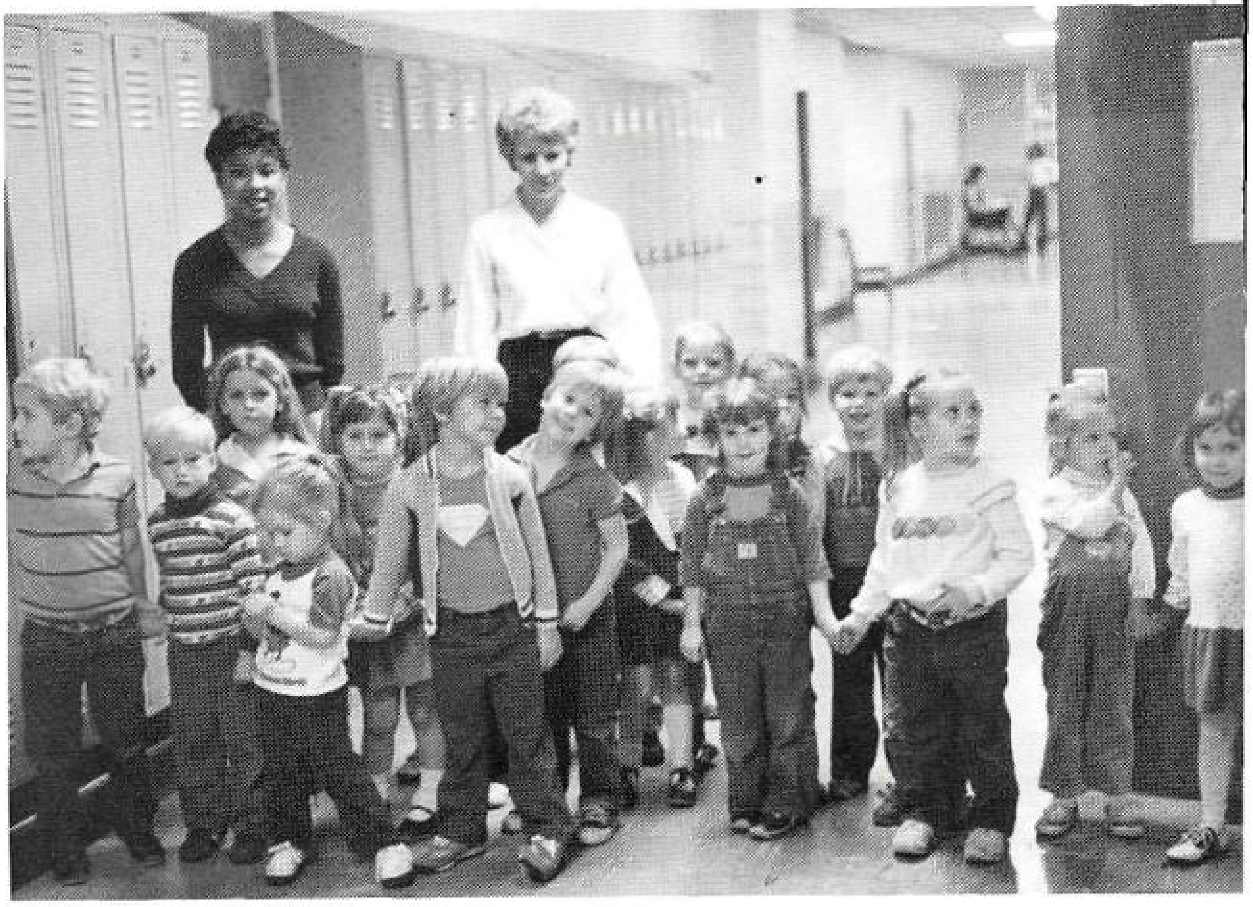

Chris Winham

Rusty Wolfe

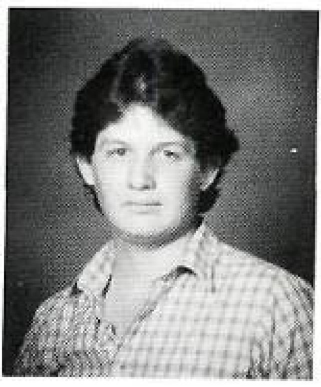
The Little Bulldogs

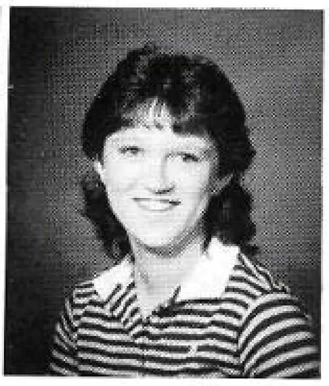
Child Care is a relatively new subject offered by Smyrna High School to both juniors and seniors. In this class, students in the class learn the basics about children and their care. S.H.S. students in the class become very close to the approximately twenty children who attend. Mrs. Joyce Covington, the teacher of the child care course, is proud to see her students learn about children and hopes that they will benefit from the course.

Each student at S.H.S. knows about the child care children and considers them as part of our school. These children have lovingly been named by S.H.S. students as Smyrna High School's own "little bulldogs."

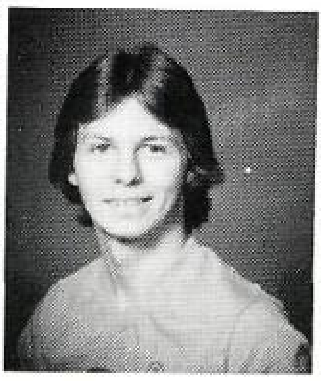


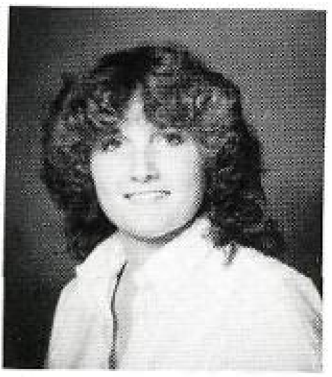
Sandra Wood


Tim Wood


Barbara Woody

Regina Yates


Jim Yearwood


Lisa Zimmerman

Not Pictured

Rodney Anderson
Donald Doershlag
Melissa Dority
Wayne Drummond
Ricky Finley
Scott Hatcher
Trina Hudson
Don Huffman
David Jensen
Steven Kemp
Martin Rhodes
Jackie Robinson
Barry Sargent
Tonia Saults
Vanessa Sisk
Curtis Smith
Jennifer Taylor
Michelle Tetley
David Tune
Kim Wayman
Michael West

The Chemistry of Confusion. *Chemistry is considered to be the most difficult subject of the year by most juniors. Shelly Tucker tries to flame test various chemicals in Mrs. Richard's class.*

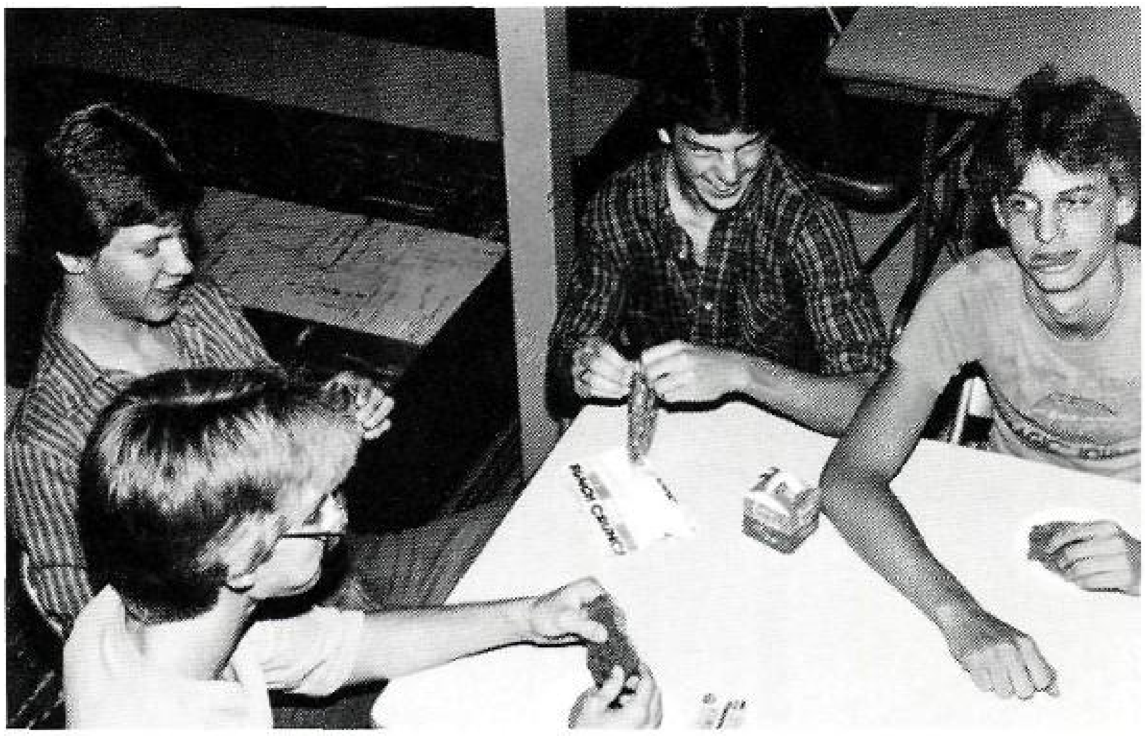
Selection Perplexion. *The selection of class rings is perhaps the most important financial decision that juniors make. Thresa Silverest and Stephen Russell attempt to choose stone color and size in the auditorium.*

Never Too Young to Cheer. *Since gymnastics and physical ability are important to cheerleading, early development is vital. Katie Bannister works with several young girls at the cheerleading camp the bulldog cheerleaders sponsored in the summer.*

Our Active Hours

A Special Time

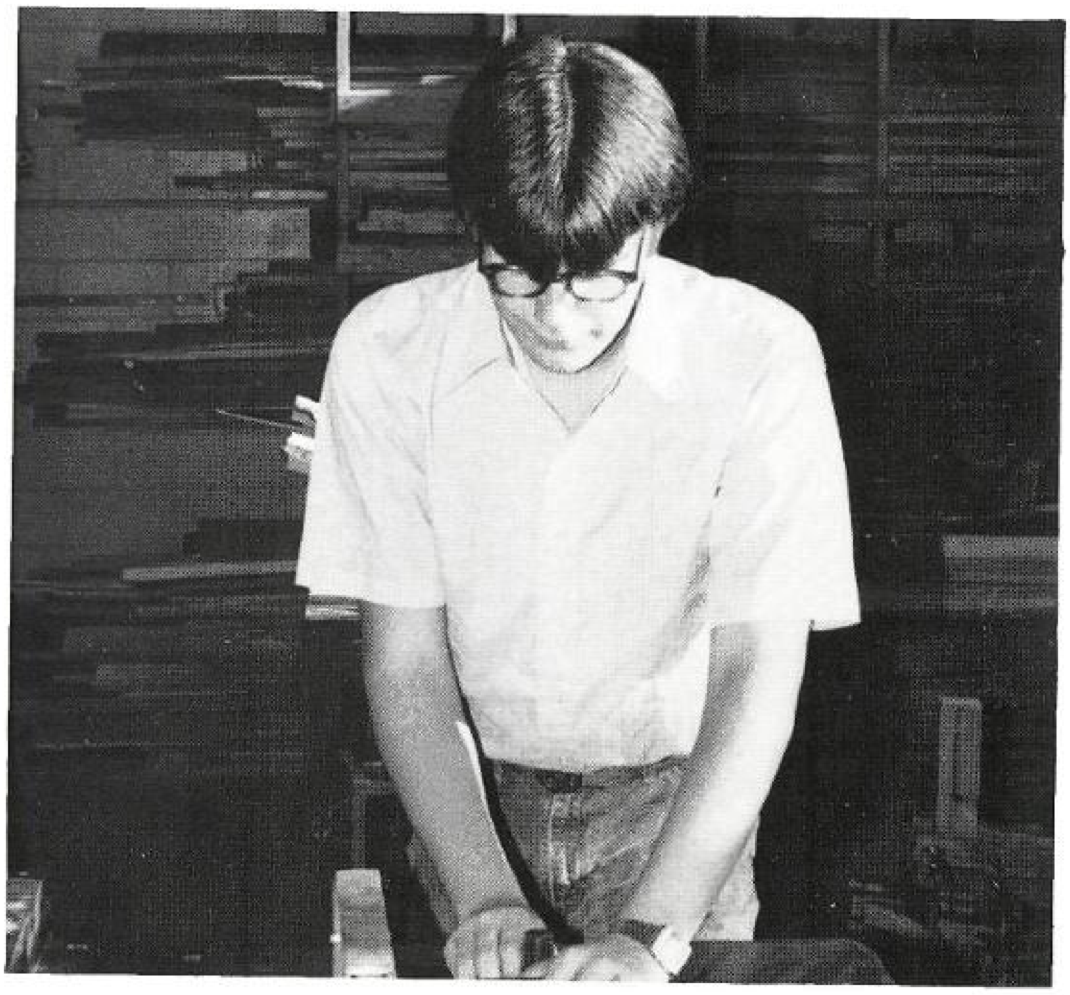
A day in the life of a junior is filled with many activities, both school-related and extracurricular. There are sacrifices that one must make in order to continue his quick-paced days at S.H.S. However, there are many rewards for the endurance and hard work when a job is finally completed. Some juniors may find satisfaction in completing a difficult assignment while others may find satisfaction in working on the class Homecoming float and seeing the end result in the parade. Although the juniors at Smyrna High School may pursue difficult aspects of school life, everyone contributes to our school, making S.H.S. a very special place to be.

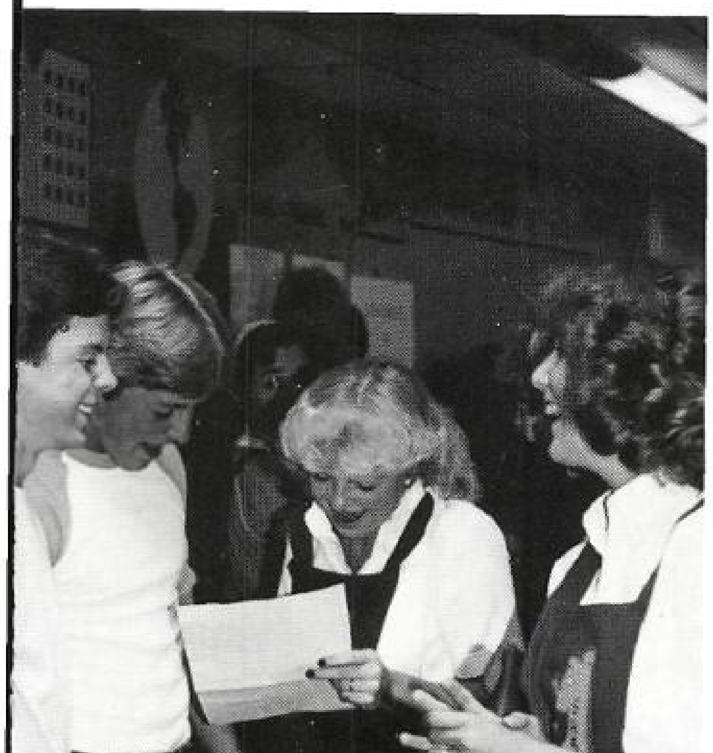


Stuffing It. *Patiently, Debbie Raymer stuffs the junior float which will be judged on Friday of Homecoming week. This year's junior float placed second.*

A Case of The Munchies. *Danny Brewer, Alan Smith, Troy Flippen, and Tim Dye crunch and munch on their lunch time goodies.*

Meticulous Work. *While making a mechanical drawing, Lester Turner has learned that he must have patience as well as a steady hand.*





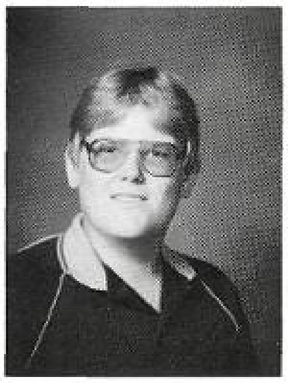
Showing Skill. *The students in wood shop classes make several projects during the year. Many of these are entered in competition, and others are sold to make money for future projects. Junior Stephen Russell is shown as he makes the initial preparations for his major project.*

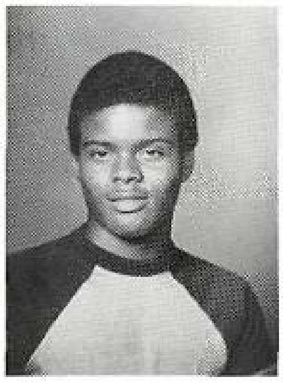
A Little After School Fun. *The Electric Scene offers students at S.H.S. many ways to relax after school. Cheryl Miller enjoys playing her favorite game, Pole Position.*

Candy Sale Mania. *One of the annual fund raisers of the Beta Club is the chocolate candy sale. When Mrs. Price announces the arrival of the candy, the Beta members report to Mr. Bucy's room to pick up their assigned boxes of candy. Susan Crevison departs with her box of Hershey's Krackel, prepared to make her first sale.*

Eager to Compete. *One of the new activities for Homecoming week was the Hot Legs Contest organized by the cheerleaders. The cheerleaders determined in advance those boys who would make good candidates and then set out to persuade them to participate. Stephanie Mingle and Valerie Tomlin are shown as they explain the rules of the competition to the junior contestant, Mike Hosford.*

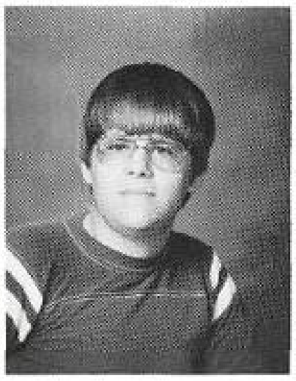
Clayton Adcock


Roy Aldridge

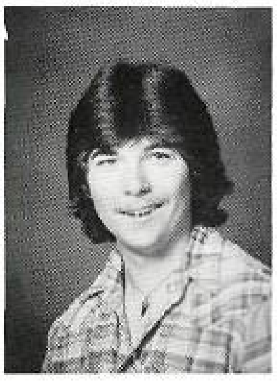

Melvin Alexander

Robin Allen

Jenny Amos


George Anderson

Jamie Armstrong


Dale Babb

Tracey Baggett

Diane Baker

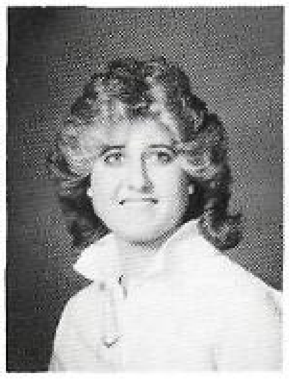
Jerri Ballard

Anissa Bamfield

Robin Banks

Shellie Bannister

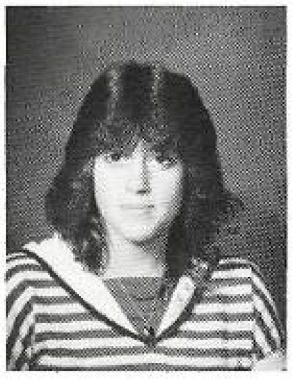
John Barcus

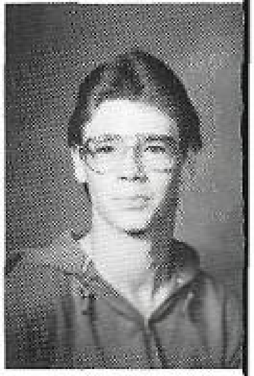

Wendy Basham

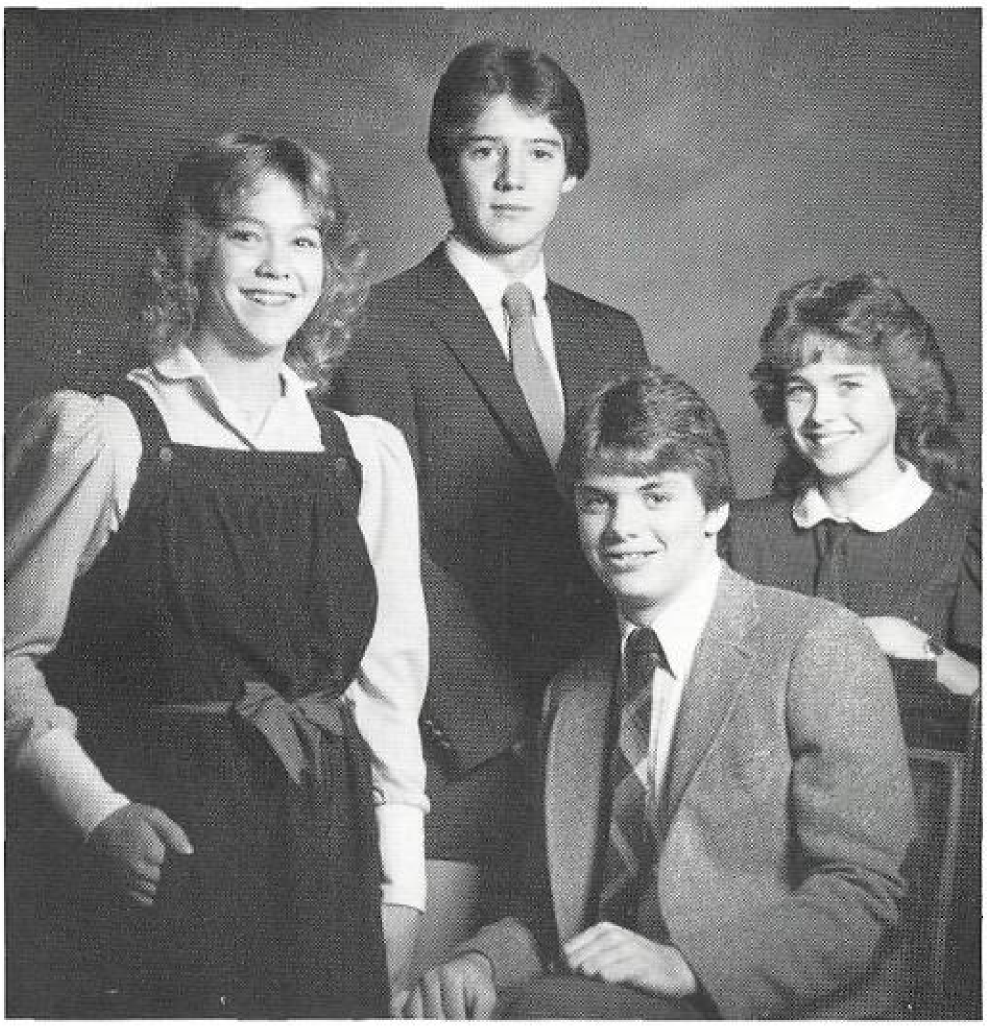
Tonia Batey

Angela Beal

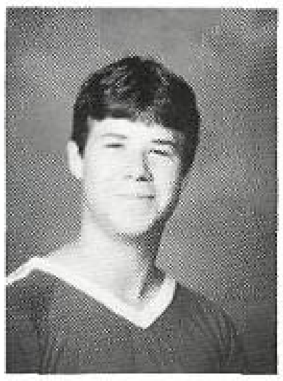
Eddie Beal

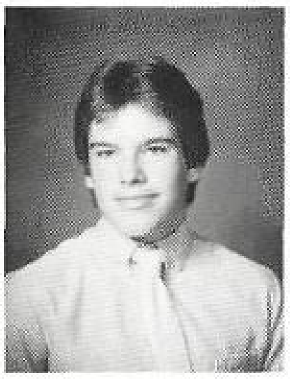

Ronda Bean

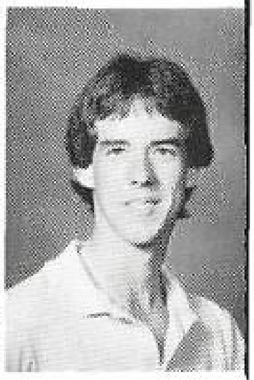

Chris Bell


Class Officers

Sitting: *Richard Johns, president.*
Standing: *Missy Hopper, secretary; Lee Frank, sergeant-at-arms, Mary Elizabeth Crosslin, vice president; (not pictured) Michelle Hill, treasurer.*


John Bell

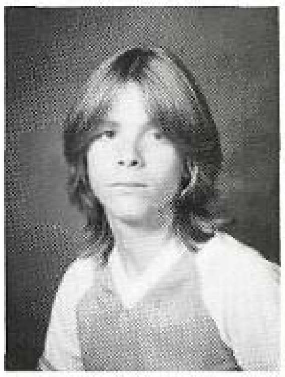

Richard Birdsong


Tim Blair

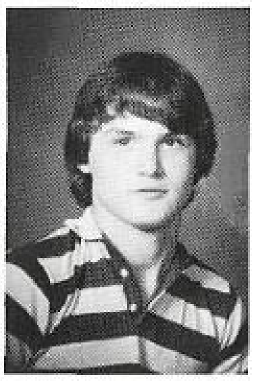
Shane Blythe

Julie Boehme

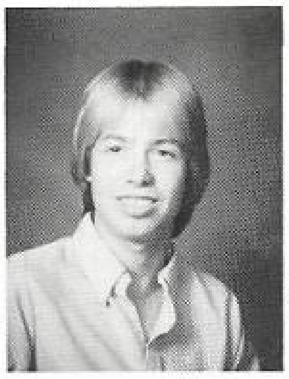
Steve Bolden

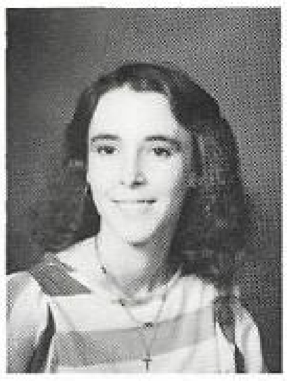

Bryan Bolin

Lori Bolton

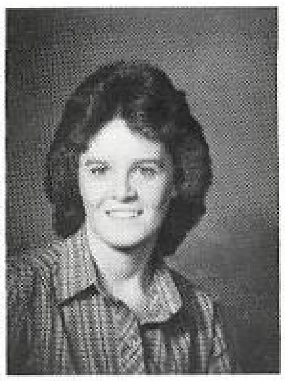

Tim Bolton

Jon Bond


Todd Boucher

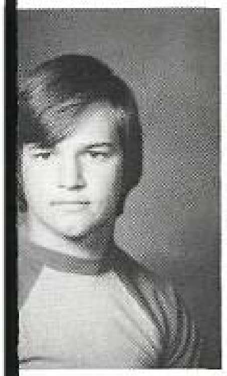

Dara Bradford

Deborah Brazelton


Lisa Brewer

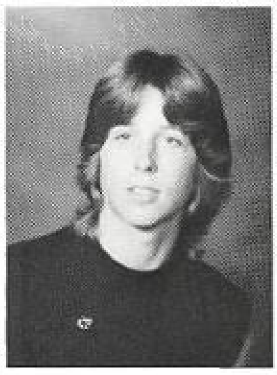
Lisa Brimm

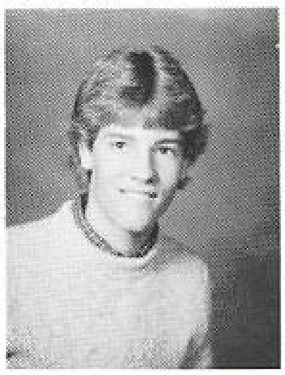
Jennifer Brooks


eve Brooks

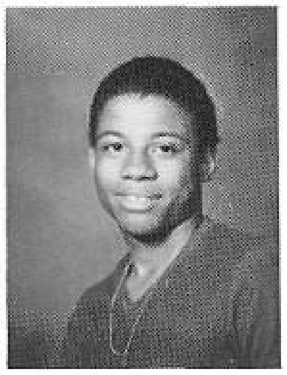
Kellye Brown

Lisa Brown

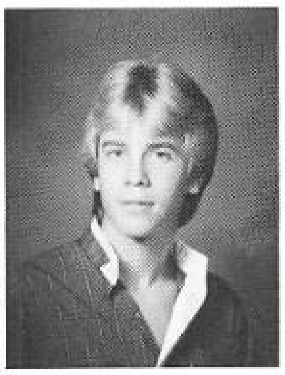

Mark Brown


Parrish Brown

Brian Bruckert

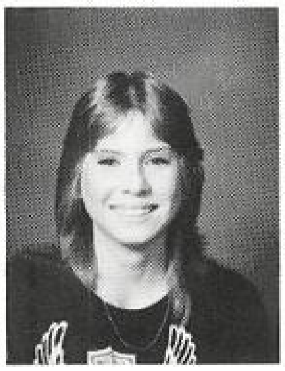

Darryl Buchanan

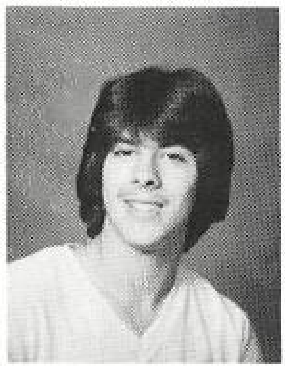
brina Bushee


Scott Butler

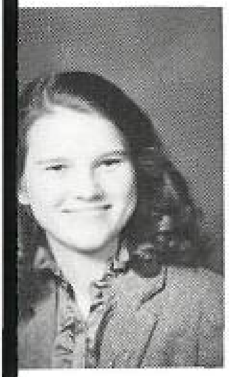
Shannon Byers

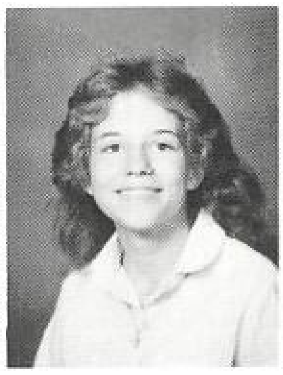
Kimberly Byrd


Tonya Callis


Mike Campanali

Jesse Campbell

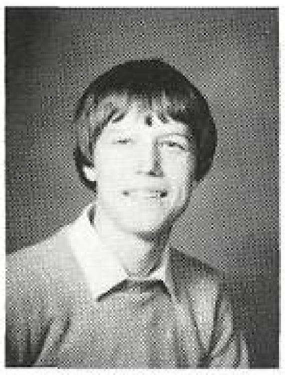

'atty Cardin


Lisa Carillon

Melissa Carlson

Robbie Carter

Teresa Chaffin

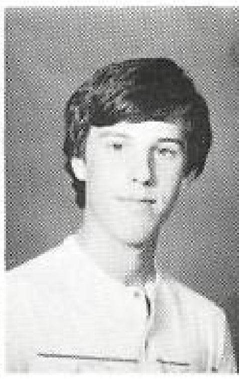

Mark Chesebro

Cindy Clark

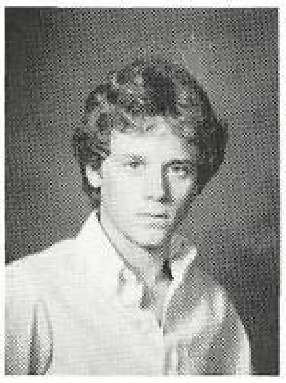
David Clark

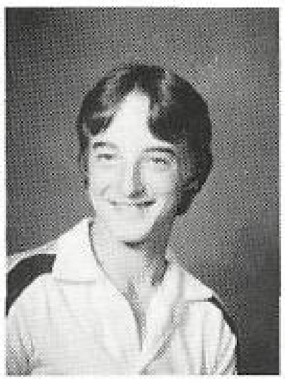
Angela Clegg

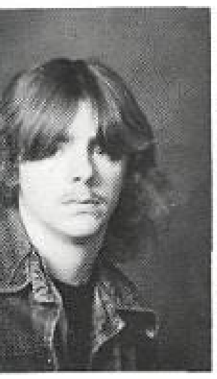
Donnel Coffey


Bruce Conklin

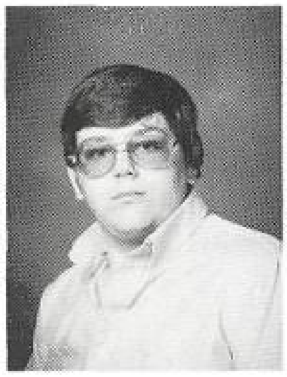
Becky Cook


Mike Cook


Wesley Coombe


hris Cornette

Lori Ann Counsell


Andy Cowley

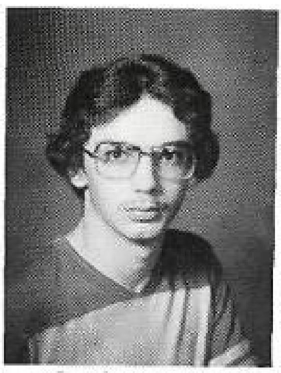
Amanda Cox

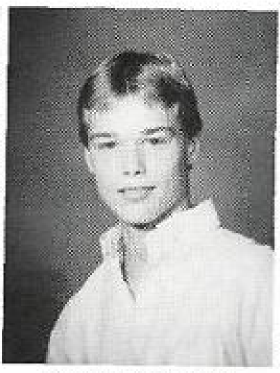
Diane Cox

Shelly Cox

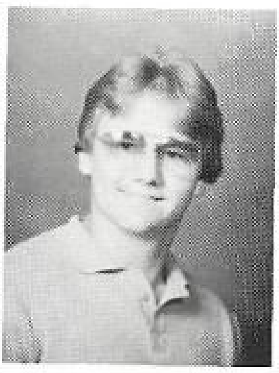
Teresa Craft

Rhonda Crafton


Stephen Craig

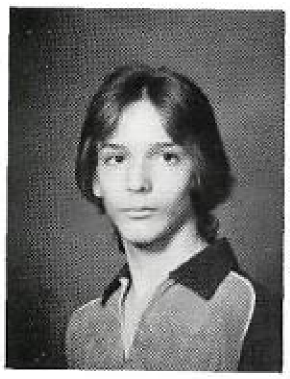

Robby Crawford

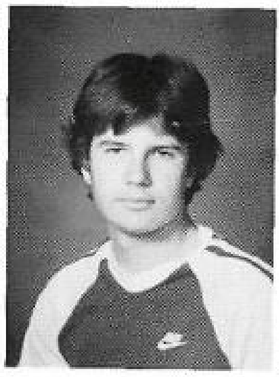
Lisa Crips

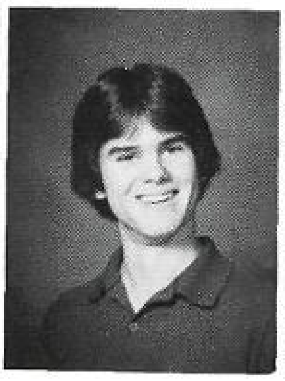

Pat Crocker

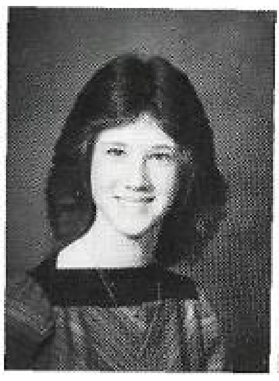
Mary Elizabeth Crosslin

Kim Crowder

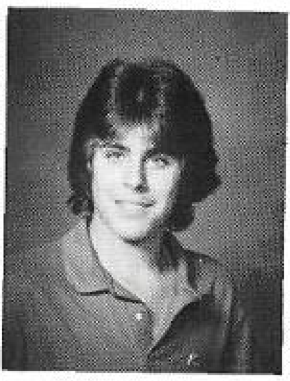

Jerry Crupper


Trey Crutcher


Brian Daniels


Carrie Davenport

Christie Davenport

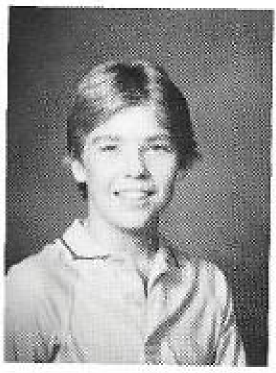

Kyle Davenport

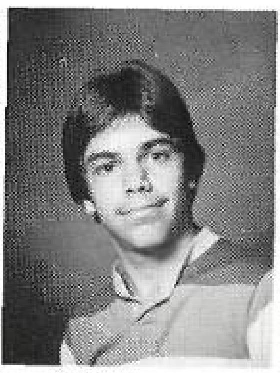
Kyle Davidson

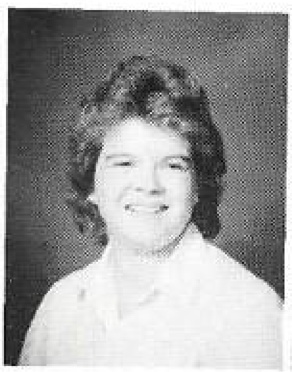
Brett Davis

Connie Davis

Donna Davis

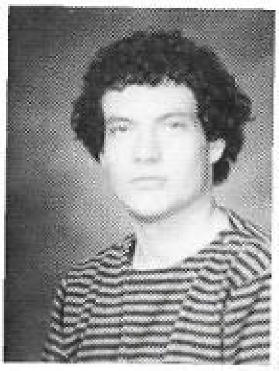

Mark Davis


Rodney Davis

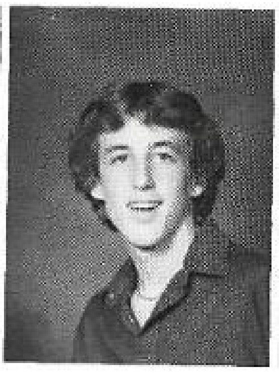

Tanya Davis

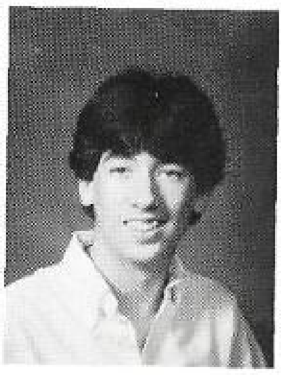
Karen Dawson

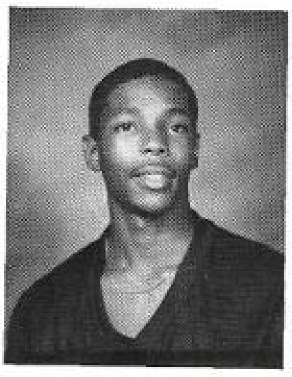
Carolyn Day


Andrew DeBord

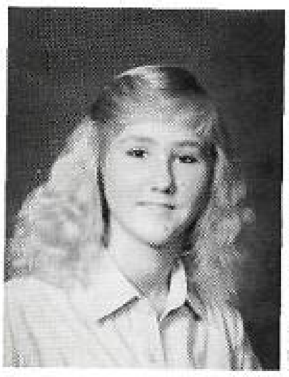
Kim DeLozier

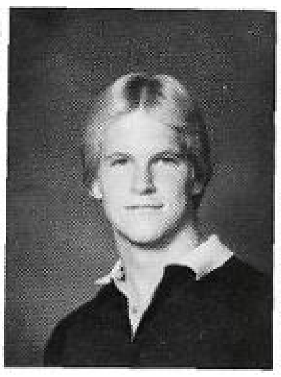

Tony Dennis

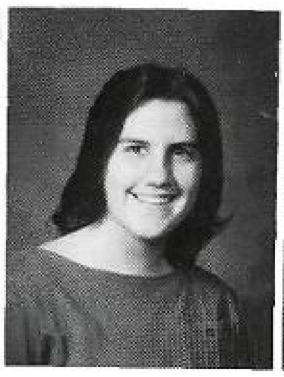

Tim Dickson


Derrick Dillard

Sandra Dollar


Tammy Douthit


Bob Durham

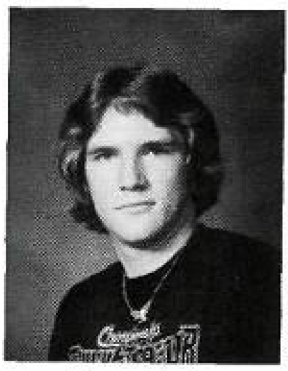

Sharon Dye

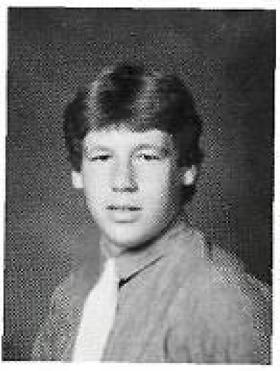
Jeff Edwards

Kim Elam

Roy Elkins

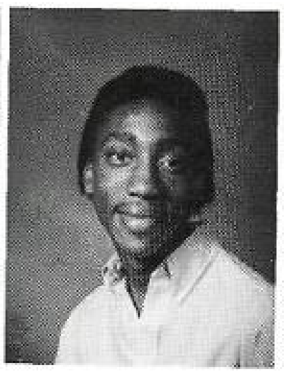
Pam England


James Engle

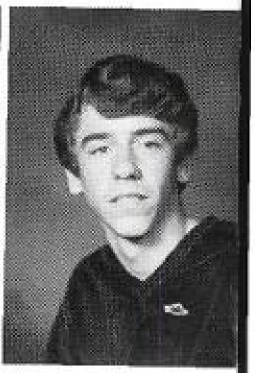

Ricky Eskildsen

Scot Espey

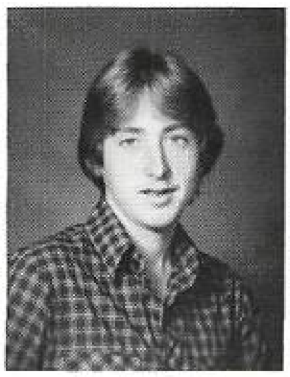
Tammy Estes


Michael Everson

Roger Faulk

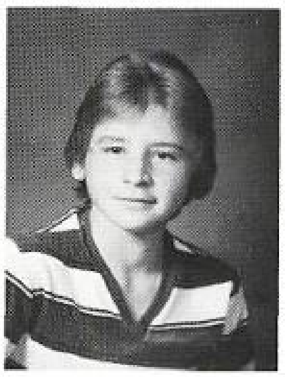

Gregory Fee

nia Feingold

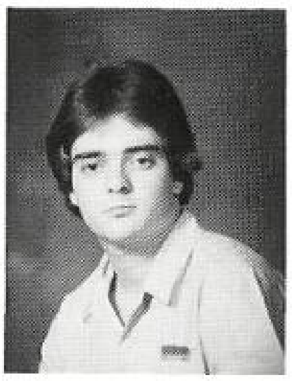

Randy Fielder

Karan Fields

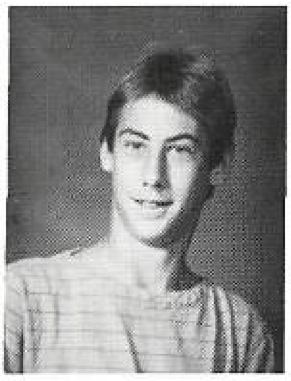
Robin Finch


Charles Finley

Angelica Fisher

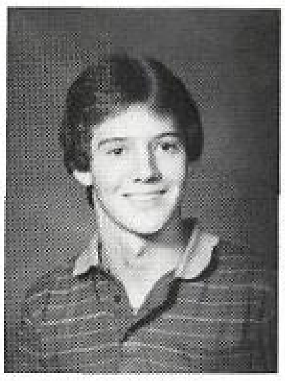

Michael Fitzhugh

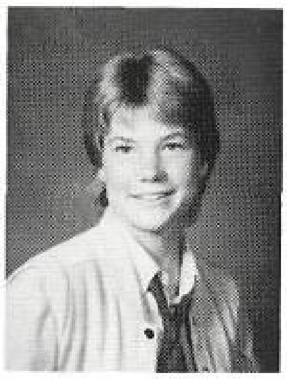
rry Fontaine


Paul Forsythe

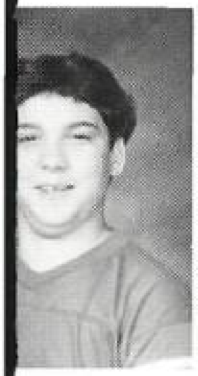
Amy Fowler

Barbara Francis

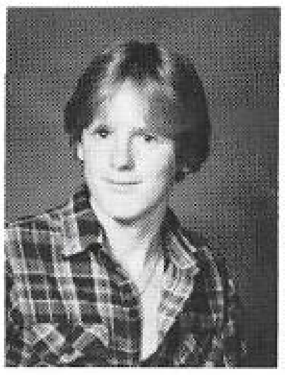

Lee Frank

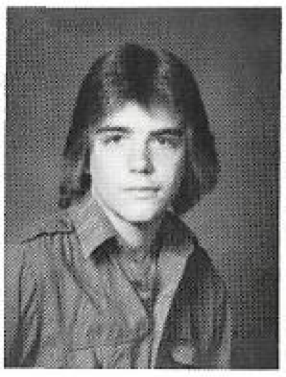

Tuesday Frase

Amy Gandara

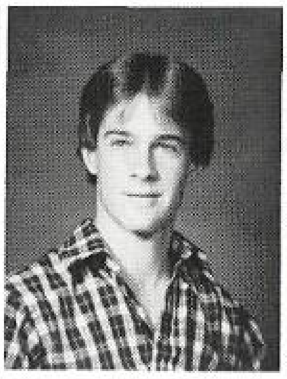

erry Gann

Melody Garceau


John Gaughan


Eddie Gentry

Tommy Gentry

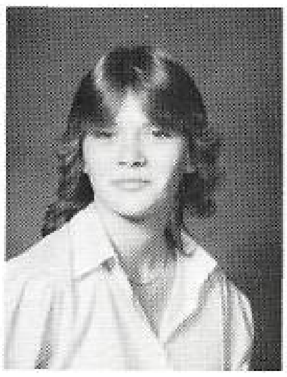

Bobby Gibson

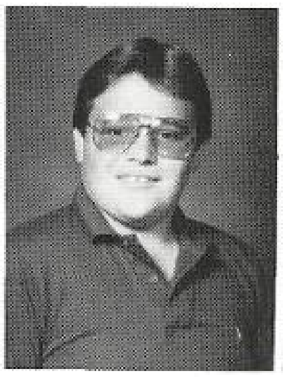
Freddy Gibson

na Gibson

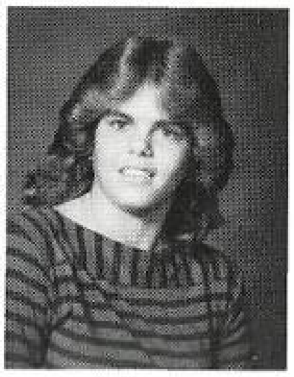
Melissa Gill

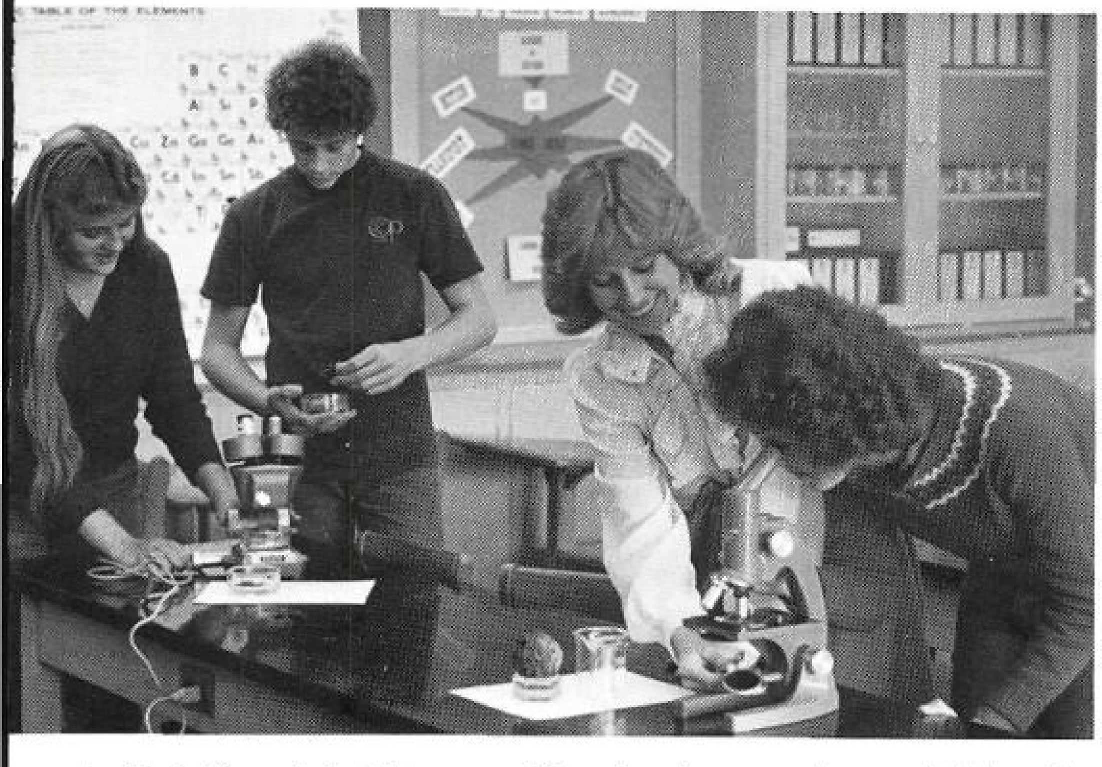
Pam Gilley


Donna Gilliland


Jeff Givens

Mary Glassco


Gina Glenn


coveries Made Through the Microscope. *Throughout the year, sophomores in biology class involved with discovering new things. On lab days they enjoy investigating tiny sponge cells. ne Baker, Mike Cook, Barbara Francis, and Rhonda Hartman set up to view these cells through icroscope.*

NEW EXPERIENCES
Conquering Initial Fears

During their first few weeks at Smyrna High School, sophomores are faced with many new challenges and experiences. Some of the questions that lie in the back of an apprehensive sophomore's mind include: Will I fit in? What will be expected of me? Will I make it to class on time? Will I ever learn my typing keys? Will I wreck the Driver's Education car?

However, as the year progresses, the sophomores begin to feel to be more a part of Smyrna High School. One of the keys to this is involvement and participation in the many clubs, organizations, teams, and activities offered to them by the school. The sophomores begin to put aside their initial apprehension and fears and look forward to their junior year with great anticipation.

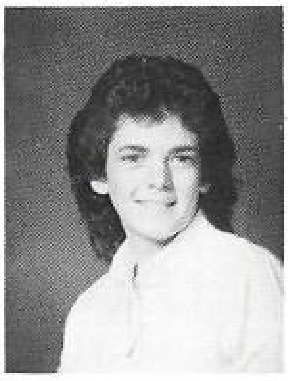
UNITING AS ONE
From Rivals To Classmates

The sophomore class is composed of students from Thurman Francis and Roy Waldron junior high schools. This move to Smyrna High School is a major step for a freshman. For most sophomores, the fear, the joy, and the dismay are there to accompany this transition. The fear of the unknown is foremost in the minds of these new students. They find that life at S.H.S. is very different from the routine found at their respective junior high schools. The newcomers also find themselves establishing new friendships as the students from the two schools merge to become one single unit.

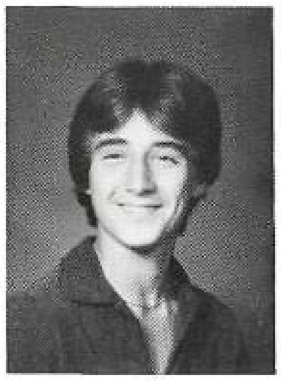
In a short period of time, the Roy Waldron Lakers and the Thurman Francis Rams join to support the Smyrna Bulldogs. This transformation from rivals to classmates builds a strong and united class that benefits Smyrna High School in many ways.

Ram + Laker = Bulldog: *One of the most obvious ways that students show which junior high they attended is by their jackets. Here, Keith Story from Thurman Francis and David Turner from Roy Waldron demonstrate that former rivals can become friends.*

Missy Goad



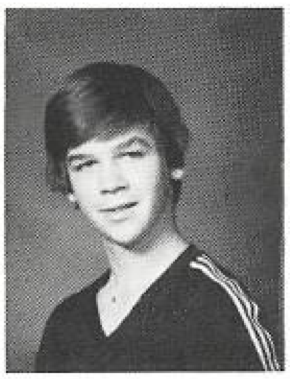
Teresa Gordon



Bryan Gossett

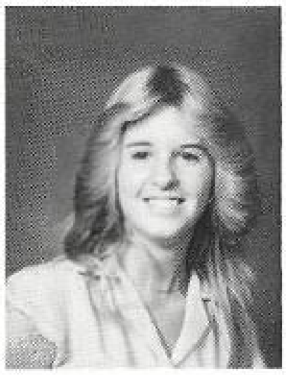
Lenora Grandieson

Chris Gray



Scott Green

Dana Greer

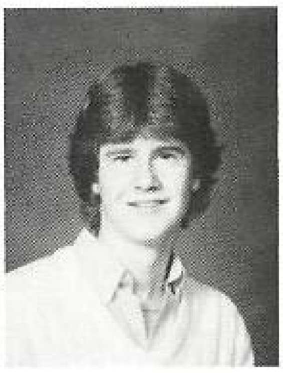


Linda Griffin

Sonia Grissim

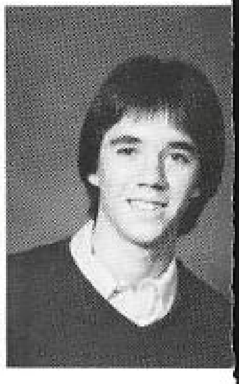
Randy Grubbs

Dena Gurley



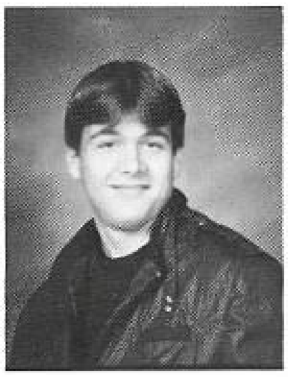
Rob Gwynne

Greg Hake

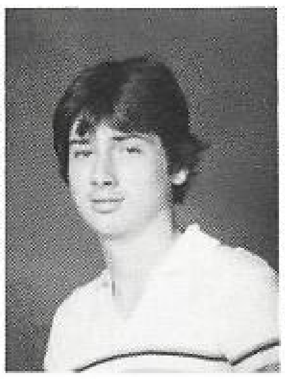


John Haley

Rhonda Hall

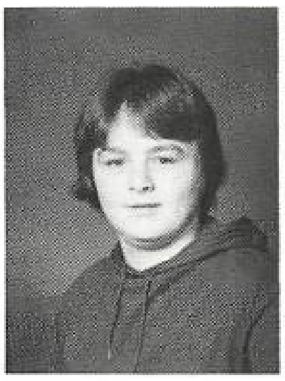


John Hamilton

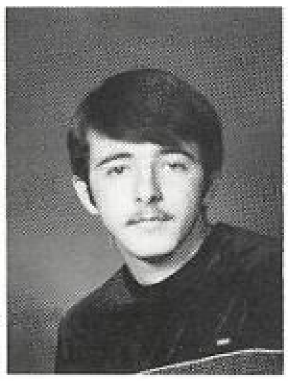


Denny Hamm

Deanna Harper



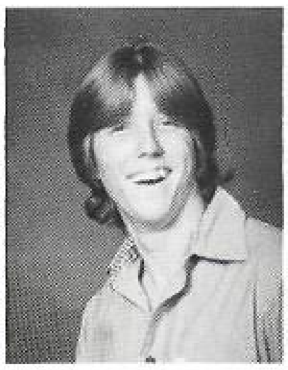
Jason Harper



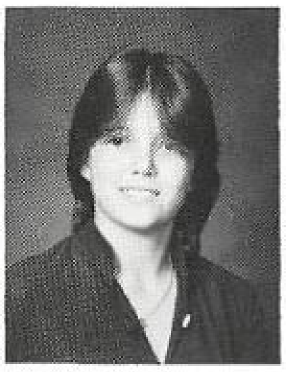
Houston Harrison

Melinda Harrison

Steve Hart

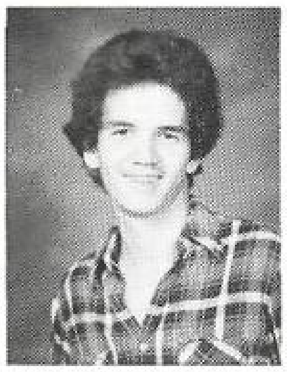


Billy Hartman



Marsha Hartman

Rhonda Hartman



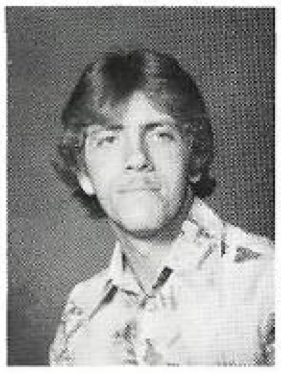
Richard Hartman

Tammy Haven

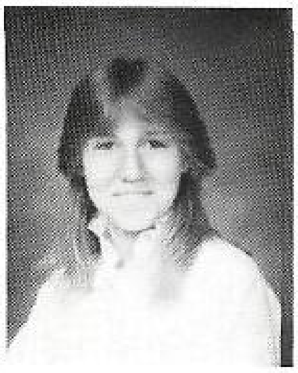
Jeff Haworth

ackie Haynes

Michelle Hazard


William Heaton

Ronnie Hefner

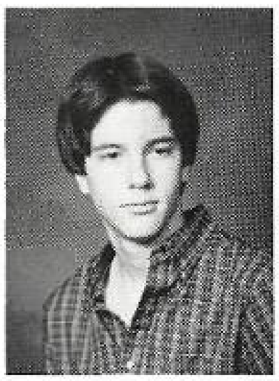

Annette Herzberg

John Hicks

Lori Hicks

ennifer Hill

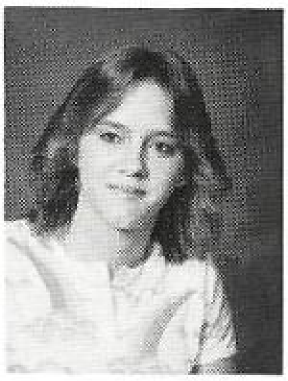
Michelle Hill


Kelly Hillard

Loretta Hix

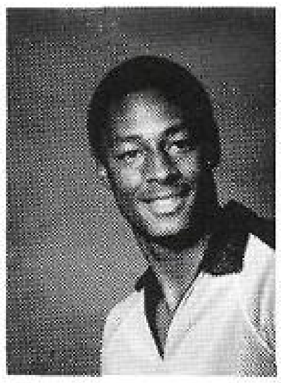
Rene' Hobbs

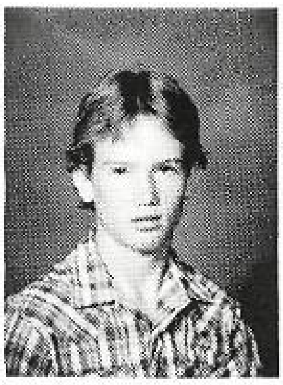
Monica Hobdy


Amy Hogan

eff Holland

Michelle Holland

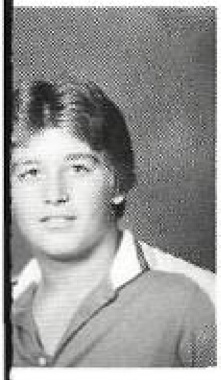

Jack Hollins

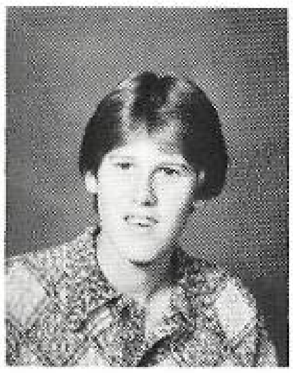

Mark Honey

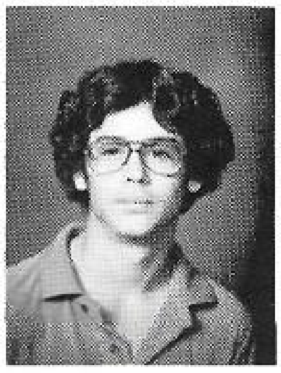
B.G. Hooper

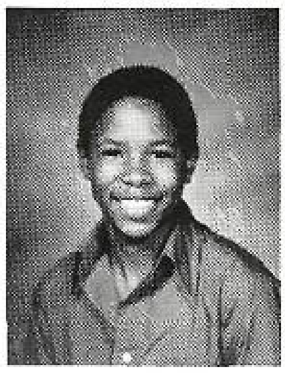
Rhonda Hooper

Missy Hopper


mes Hosford


Tommy Houck

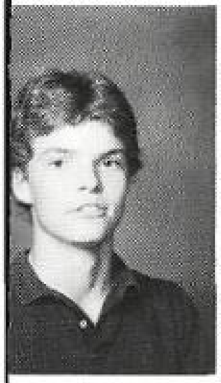

Keith Howard


Maurice Howse

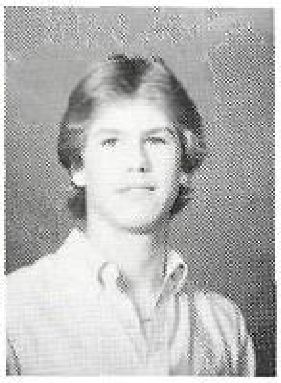
Tommy Huddleston

Gary Hudgins

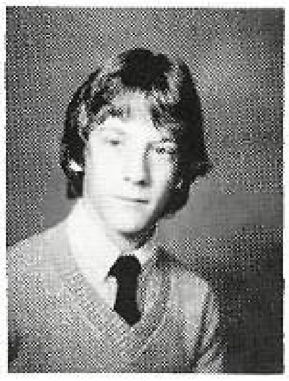
Dale Hudson


vight Hudson

Shayne Hunter

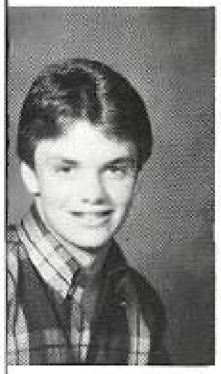

Greg Jackson

Leigh Jackson

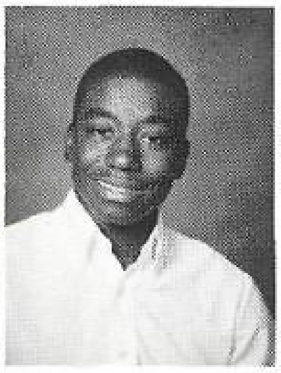

Mike Jacobs

Mike Jedlicki

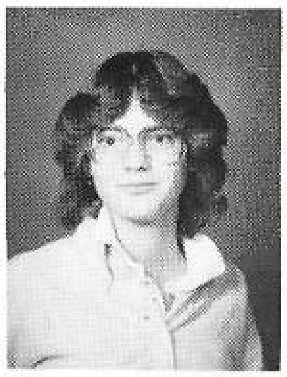
Kim Jensen

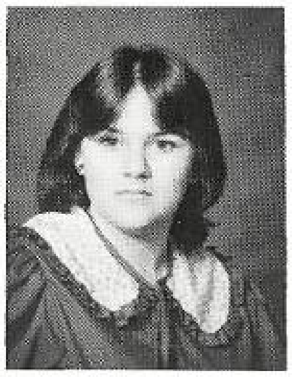

ichard Johns

Darryl Johnson

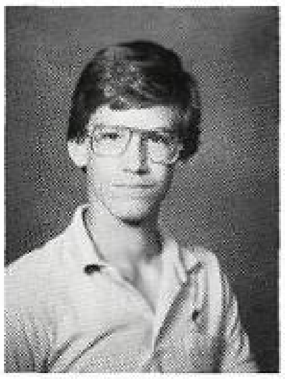

James Johnson

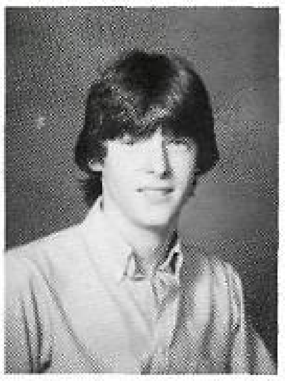
Kristee Johnson


Joelle Johnston

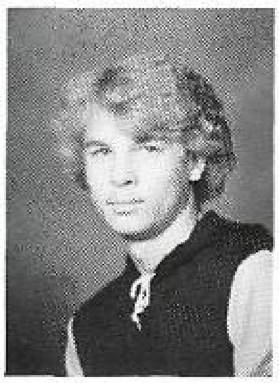

Michelle Jones

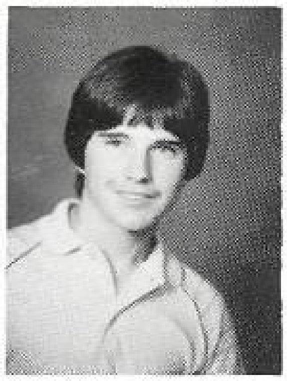
Sheila Jones

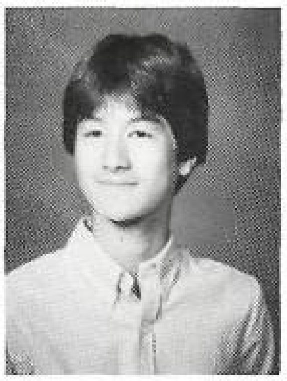

Bryon Jordan

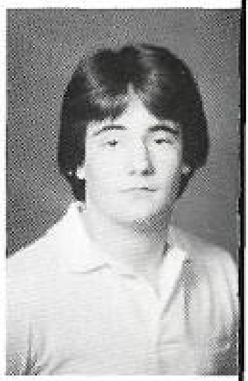

Eddie Key

Kim Kimball

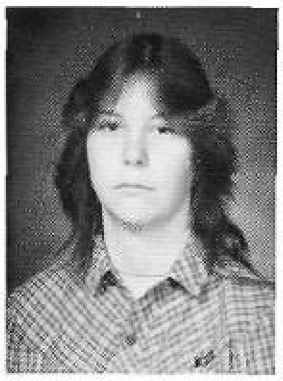

Kerry Kincaid


Howard King


Matthew King

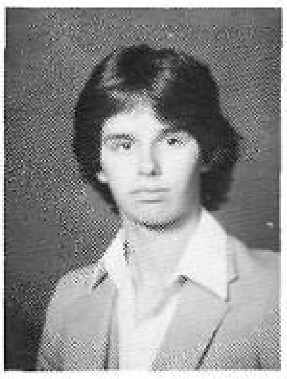

Pat Kirby

Carrie Knight

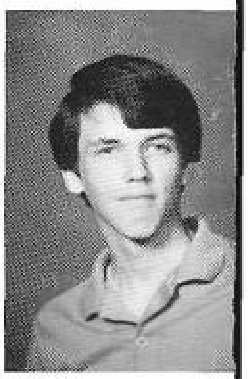

Gloria Kruse

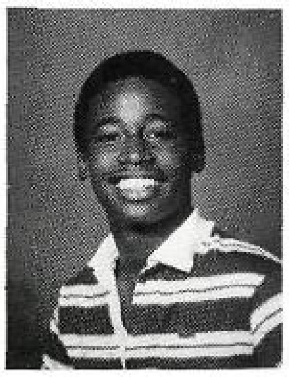
Stacy Lasley

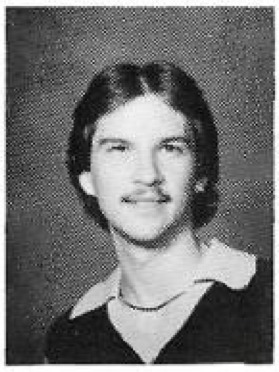
Jennifer Ledbetter

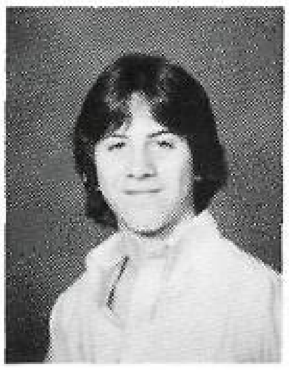

Landon Lee

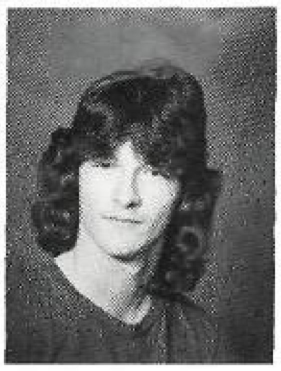
Erik Lehto


Jeff Leopard

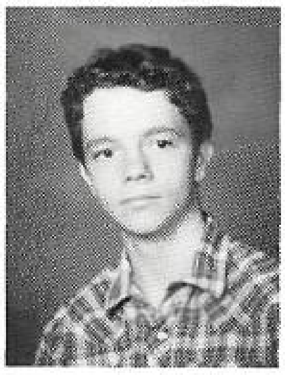

Barry Lewis


Patrick Linville

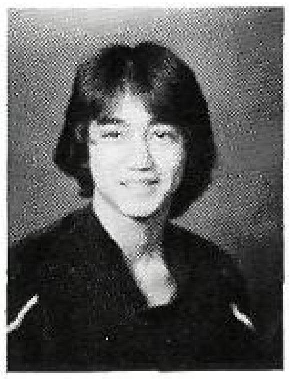

Steve Long


Jessie Looper

Craig Love

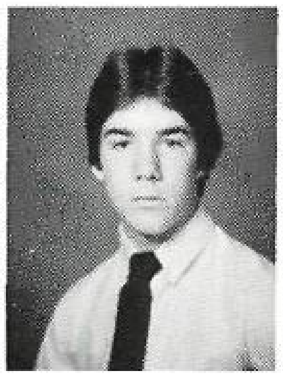

Darrell LuAllen

Misty Lusk


David Mahaffey

Rhonda Mahaney

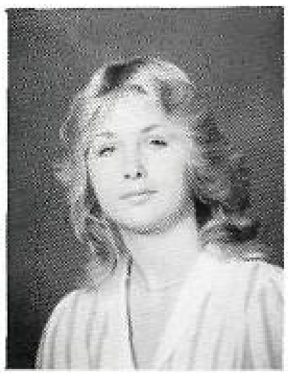
Chitiqua Malone


Mike Maners

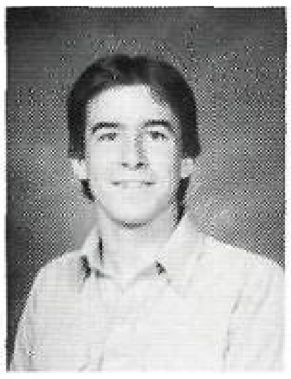
Tina Mangrum

Dawn Mankin

Sheila Marlin


Lisa Marlow

Chrissy Martin

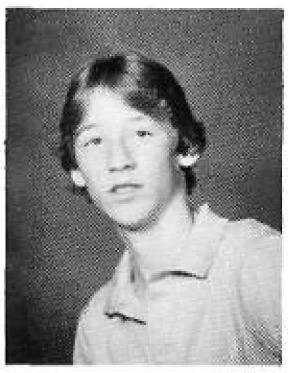

David Martin

Tonia Martin

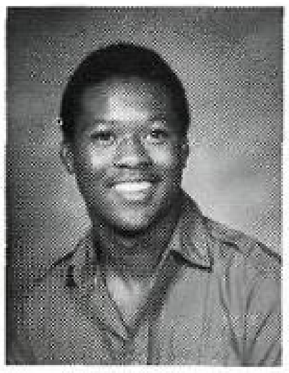
Vicky Martin

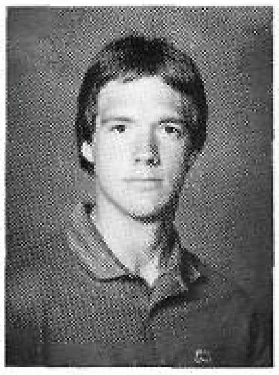
Dana Maupin

Lisa Mays

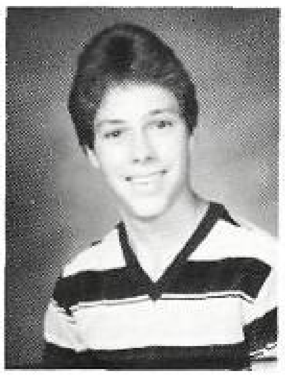

Todd McClain

Tracey McClendon


Felipe McCullough


Robert McDaniels

Marlene McDonald

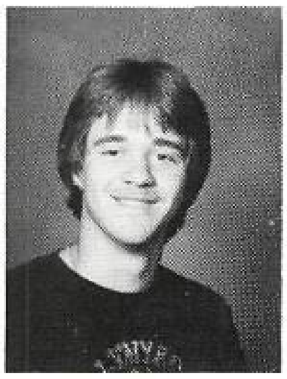

James McGhee

Jeff McGill

rie McKinney

Kim McKinney

ley McKnight


Rusty McKnight

am Meacham

Kellye Messer

MOVING UP

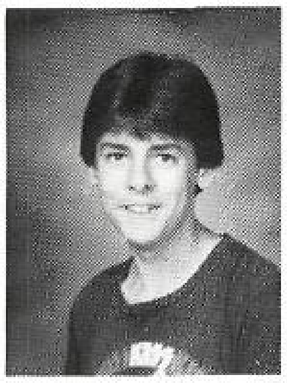
Advice From Above

The members of the sophomore class must face many decisions which will affect their future, career plans, and goals in life. The courses that they select now will be the foundation upon which they may have to build their future lives. A sophomore must also decide what clubs he wants to join, in what school functions he wishes to participate, and, in general, what preparation he needs to further his goals in life.

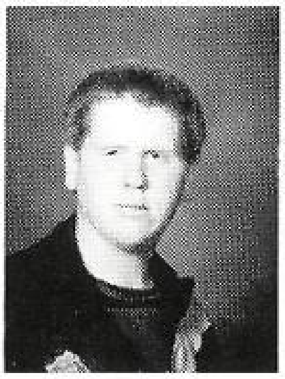
Luckily, many sophomores do not have to face these major decisions alone. Some are fortunate enough to have an older brother, sister, or friend to help them with difficult choices and challenges. These older students can often offer helpful advice because many of them have experienced the same problems as sophomores. Hopefully, their guidance will help the sophomores realize their goals and take the necessary steps to accomplish them.

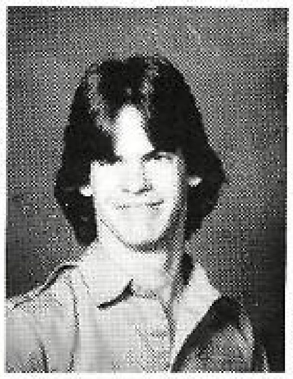
Die-a-gramming Dilemma. *Since English is a required and difficult subject for all students, sophomore Karan Fields asks older sister Becky for advice on diagramming a complex sentence.*

Clara Miles


Kirk Miller

Leigh Miller

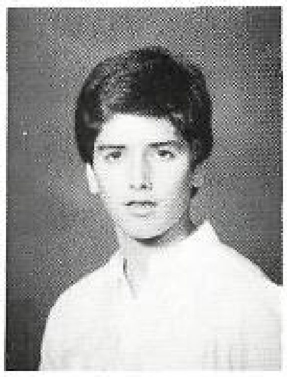

Howard Mobus

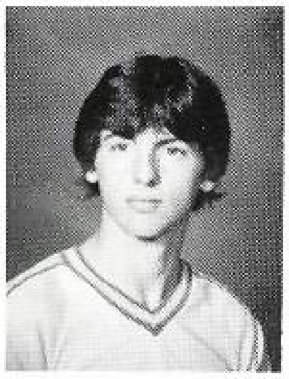

Jeff Moore

Missy Moore

Sonya Moore

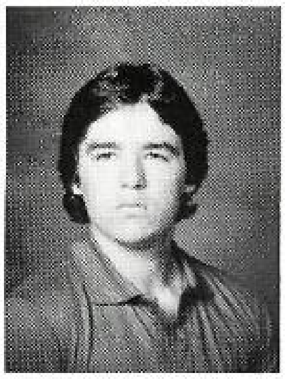
elly Morgan


Tim Morris


Bill Morrison

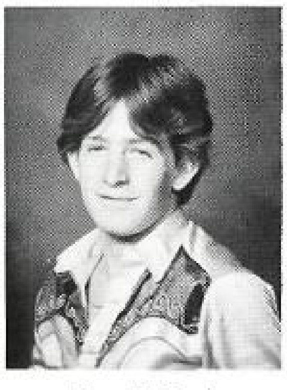
Sue Morrow

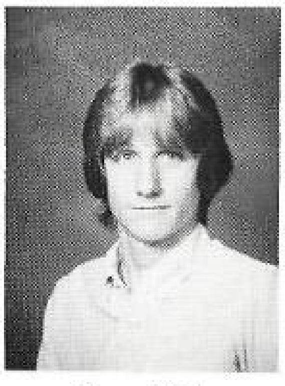
Shannon Muir

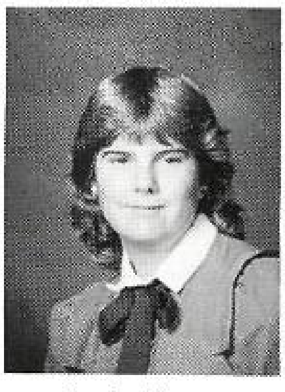

Joel Myers

Scott Myles

elissa Nagy

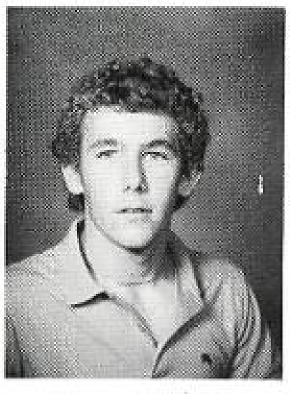

Darrell Neal


Terry Neal


Sandy Nornes

Shane Norton

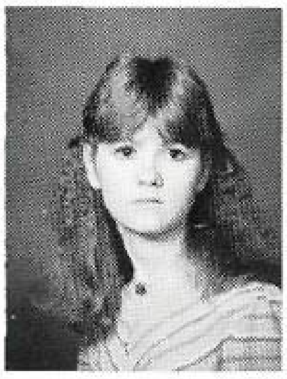
Jennifer Officer

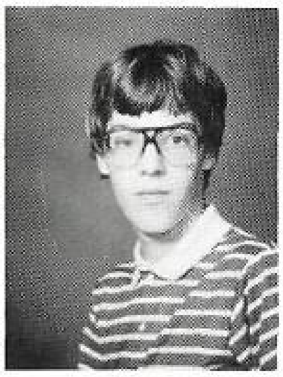

Charles Ogelvie

Chuck Painter

Lisa Palmer

Andrea Parker

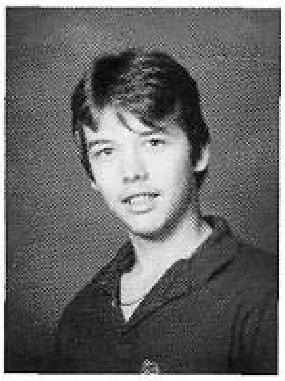

Chandra Parker

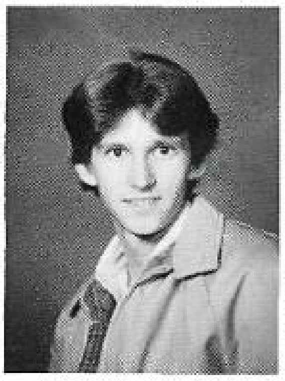

Joe Parker

Kristie Parker

Tracey Parke

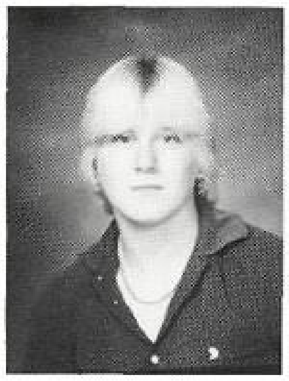
Kaysha Parrish


Curtis Parsons

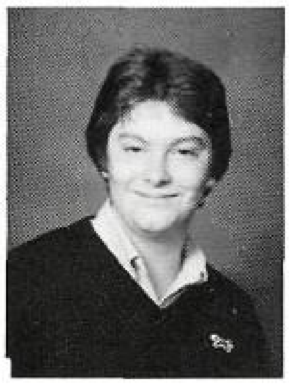

Dallas Parsons

Angela Patterson

Kim Paul


John Payne

Timmie Phel

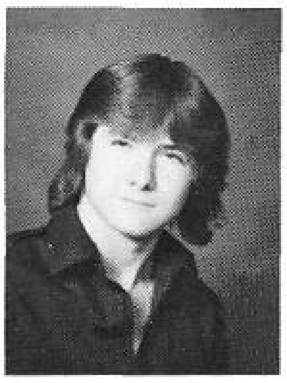

Bruce Phillips

Karen Piercy

Daniel Plain

Cindy Poole

Terri Porter


Randy Poteet

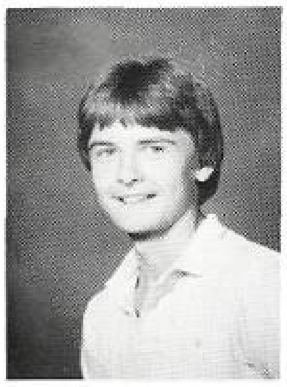
Angie Powe

Candy Sales Finance Sophomore Projects

During the days of October 10 through October 18, the sophomore class held their annual candy sale. They sold Reese's peanut butter cups and M & M's.

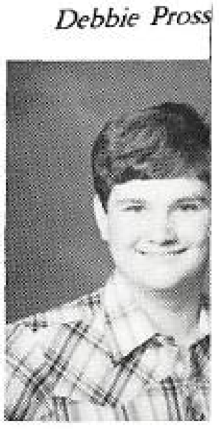
The winners of this year's candy sale were as follows: first place — Richard Birdsong, Mrs. Brogli's homeroom; second place — Robbie Carter, Mr. Gibson's homeroom; and third place — Darrell Neal, Mrs. Webb's homeroom. Some of the money from the candy sale was spent on the sophomore Homecoming parade float and on the expenses involved in Homecoming itself.

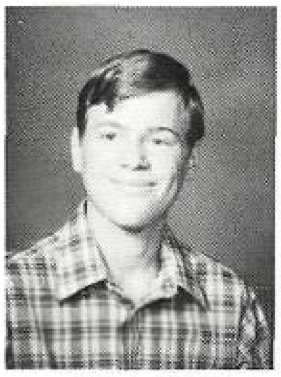
Winners' Circle. *The top salesmen of the sophomore candy sale are as follows: Darrell Neal, third place, selling $117.00; Robbie Carter, second place, selling $122.00; Richard Birdsong, first place, selling $190.00. The sophomore class made over $3,000 in total sales.*

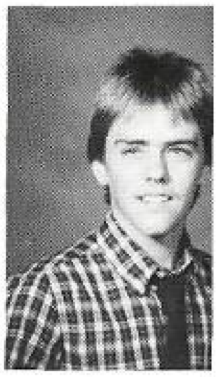

Chris Preston

Debbie Pross

Sonia Pryor

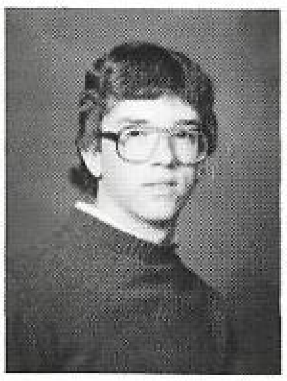

Chuck Ranso

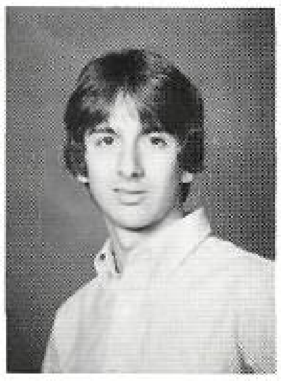

Phil Redfield

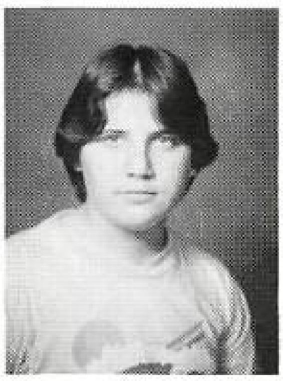

Jimmy Reed

Patsy Reed

Shonda Reeves

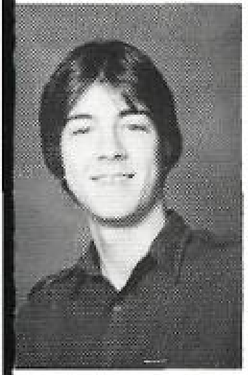

Terry Reeves

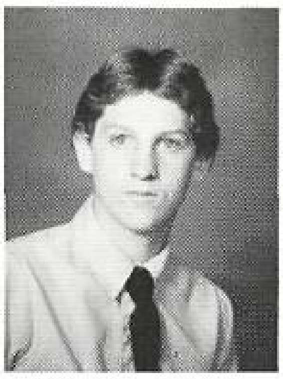

Greg Rhodes


John Rice

Dana Richardson

Marquinta Richardson

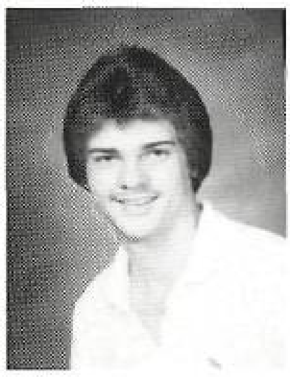

Greg Riddle


Mike Rifkin

Paul Riggins

Erin Riley

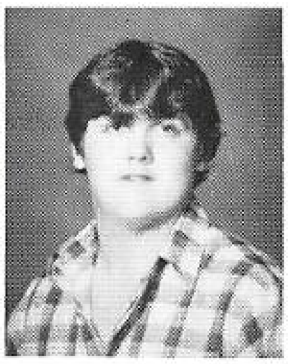
Gary Roberson


Bubba Roberts

Robin Robinson

Lydia Rogers

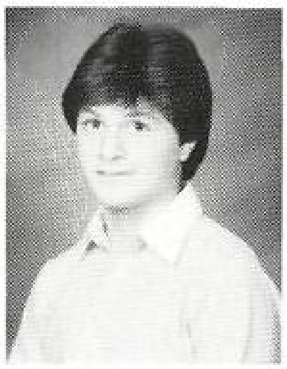
Lisa Rooker

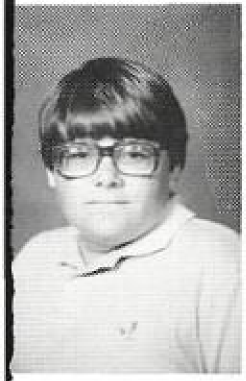

Johnny Ross

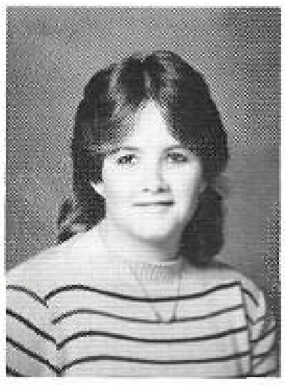
Troy Routh

Lisa Rowlett

Amy Russell

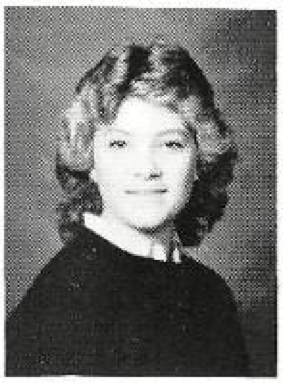

Phil Rutledge

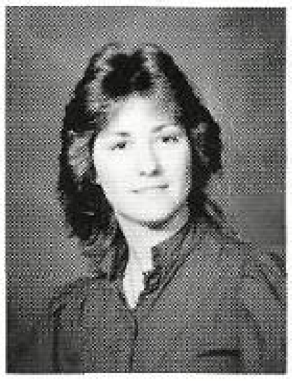

Scott Sandlin


Kim Saunders

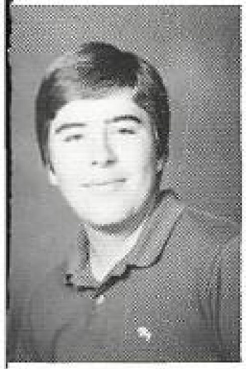
Wendy Scales

Dawn Scott


Monica Scott

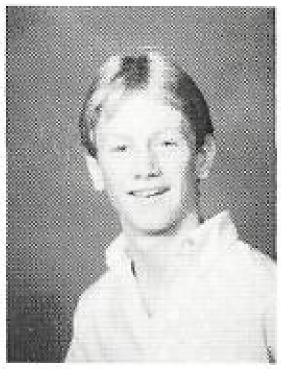

Carol Selepack

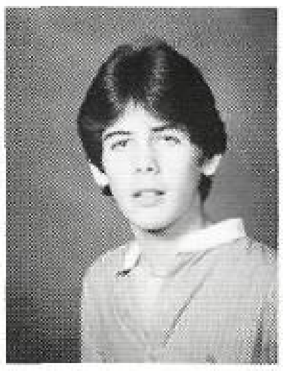
Leslie Shackelford

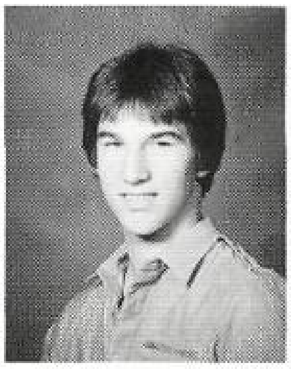

Bill Sharbono

Kevin Sherrill

Rory Shoemake


Kenny Sholar

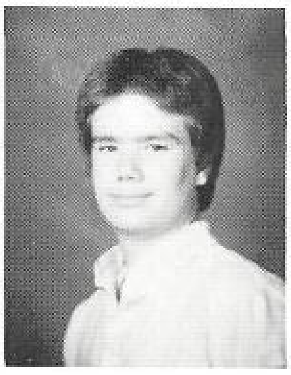

Mack Short

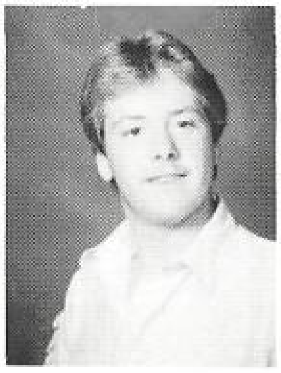

Tim Shoulders

Ginger Shultz

Andi Simmons

Anita Simmons

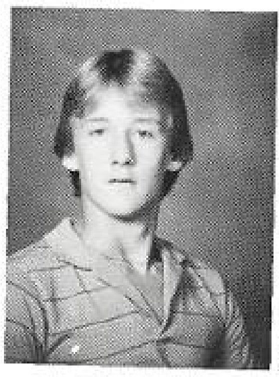

Kelly Simpson

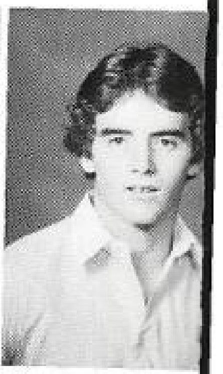

Mike Simpson

Alvin Sims

Sandra Skelton

Michelle Slaven


Donnie Smith


Dwayne Smith

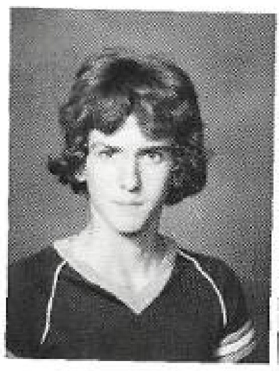
The Perfect Sophomore

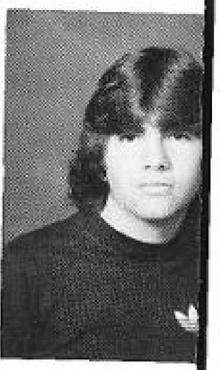
Are You the One?

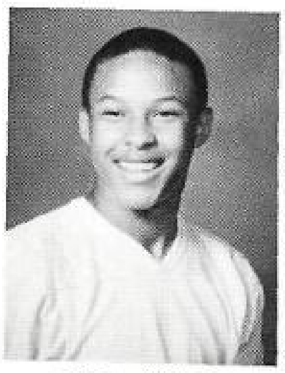
What do the perfect sophomore girl and boy look like? The sophomores answered this question on the basis of height, weight, eye color, and color of hair. Boys described the perfect sophomore girl, and girls described the perfect sophomore boy. The most popular answers are below:

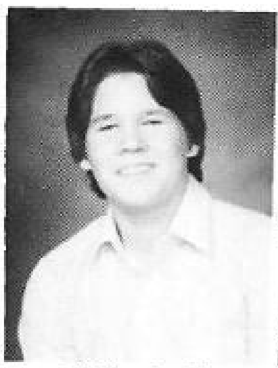
The Perfect Sophomore Boy
hair — brown
eyes — blue
height — 5'9"
weight — 160 lbs.

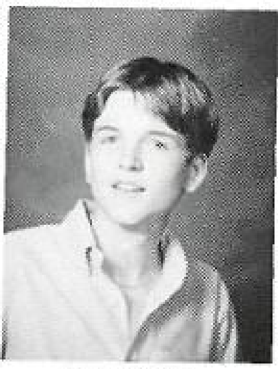
The Perfect Sophomore Girl
hair — brown
eyes — brown
height — 5'7"
weight — 115 lbs.


Eddie Smith


Jeff Smith


Michael Smith

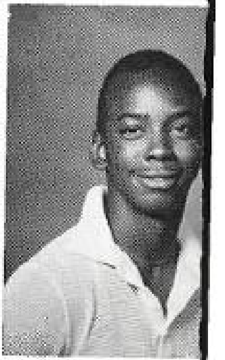

Phillip Smith


Scott Smith

Tonya Smith

Tonya Smith

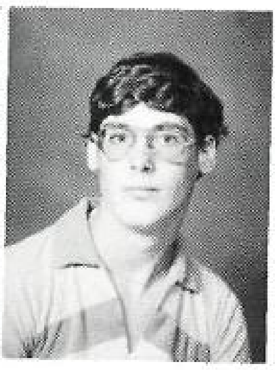
Valerie Smith


Tony Sneed

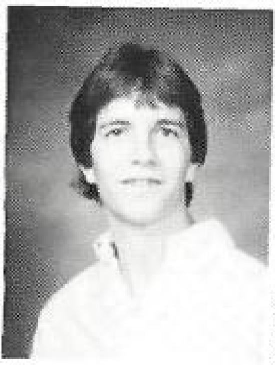
Todd Snell

Lisa Sowell

Kim Spain

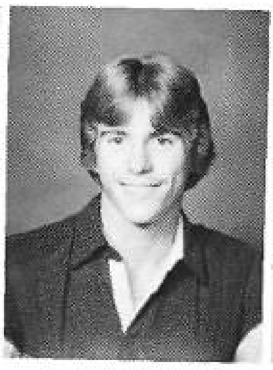

Brent Spitzer

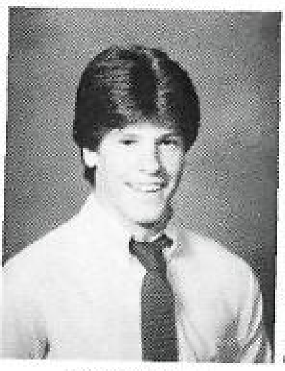
Angie Spurlock


Greg Spurlock

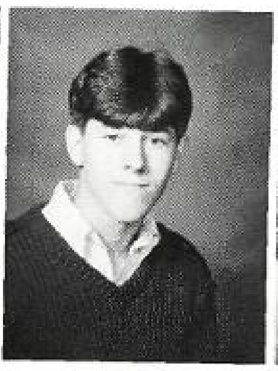
Karen Stahr

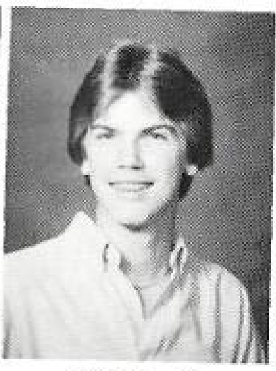
Manicia Stephens


Ron Stepp

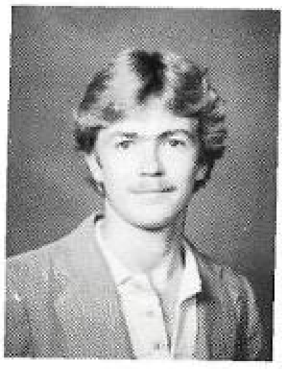

Keith Story

Brenda Strader

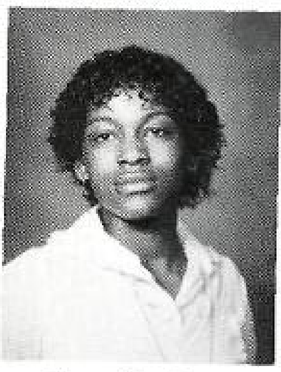

Rodney Stults


Jeff Sturdivant

Brad Stymack

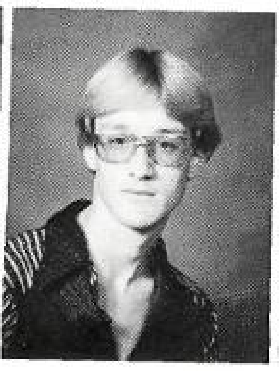

Dennis Suggs

Crystal Tapp

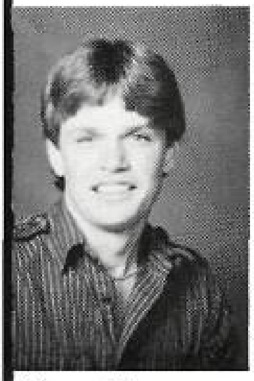

Jacqueline Tatum

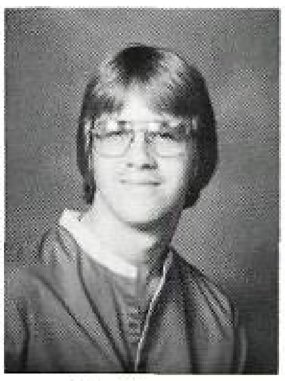
Jason Taylor

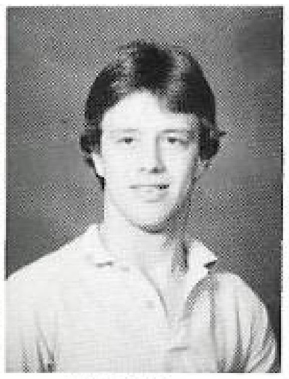
Tammy Taylor

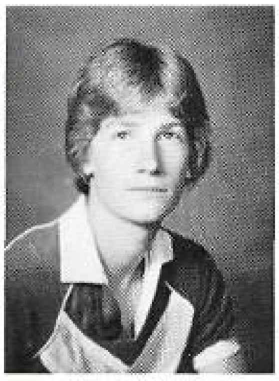

James Thomas

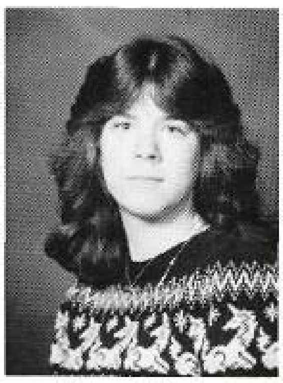
Wanda Thom

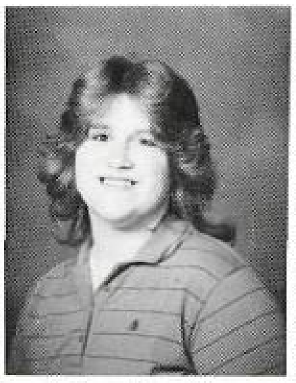

Johnny Thompson


Pat Thompson


W.R. Thompson

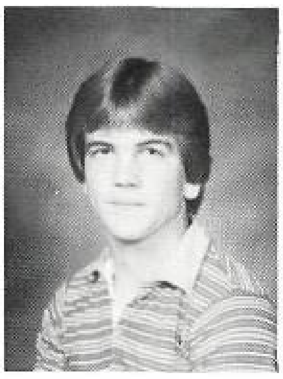

Steve Tischer


Shauna Towery

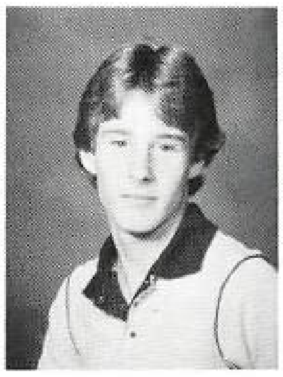

Sheri Lyne
Trantham

Murna Tucker

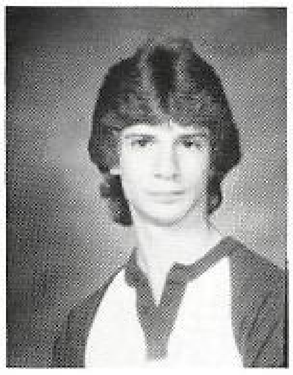
Rachel Tune

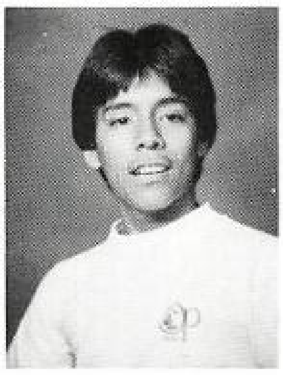

David Turner

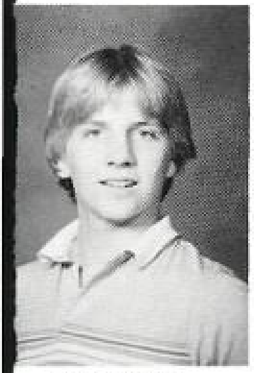
Denise Turner

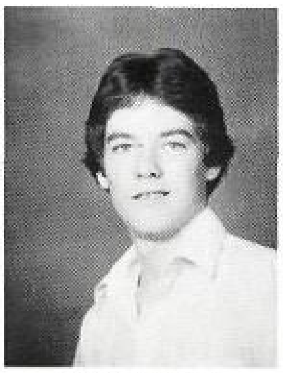

J.D. Underhill

Michelle Underhill


Tony Varossa

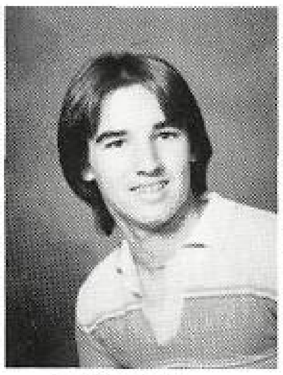

Luis Vera

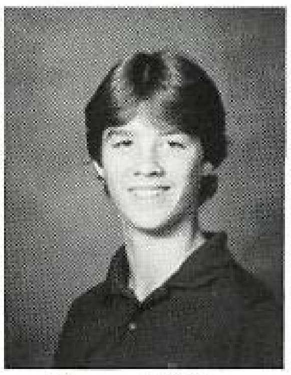

Sam Vines


Mike Vogler

Antionette Wade

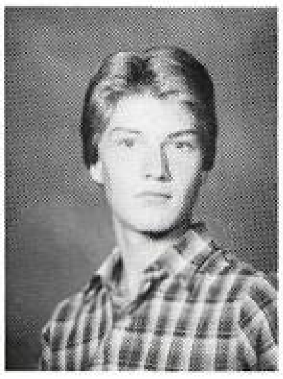
Phyllis Wade

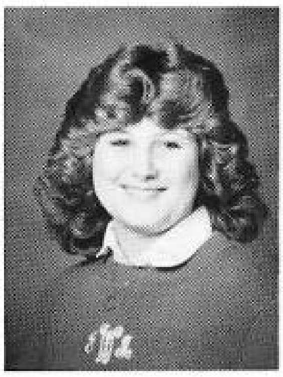

Napoleon
Wainwright


George Walls

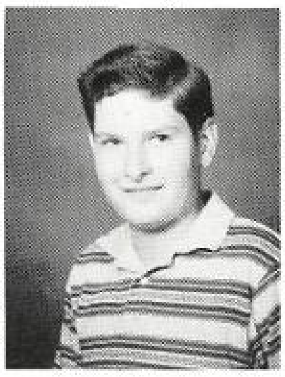
Wendy Warren

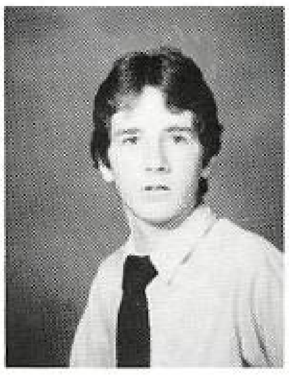
ichelle Waterson

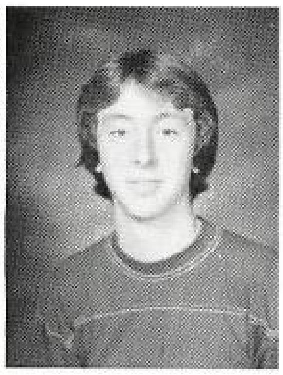

Danny Watson


Jeanice Weaver

Michaele Webb

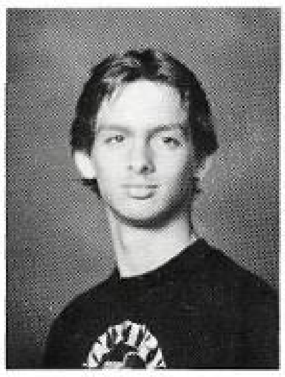

Darrell Welch

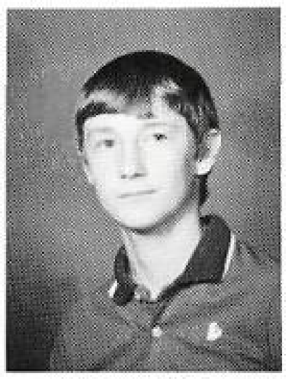

Keith Welchance


Gary West

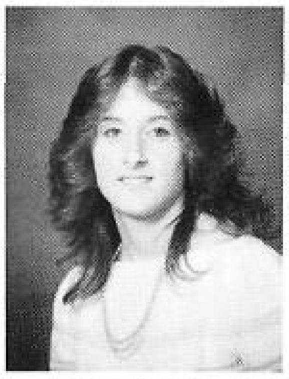
Margaret
Westmoreland

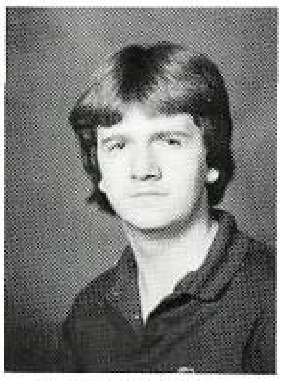
Edith Wiedholz


Richard Wilburn

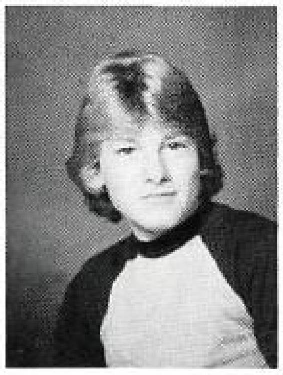

Brian Wildes

Thomasa Wilkerson

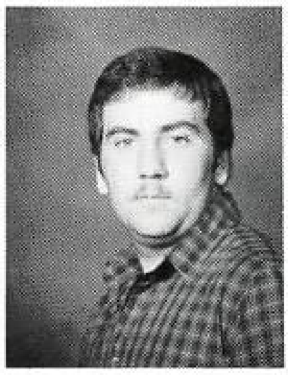

Cari Williams


Russ Williams

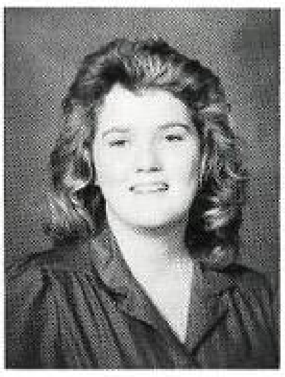
Jimmy Williams


Tommy Williams

Terry Williamson


Scott Willis

Kristie Wilson


Shana Wilson

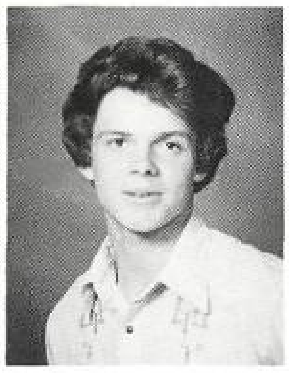
Jackie Winemiller

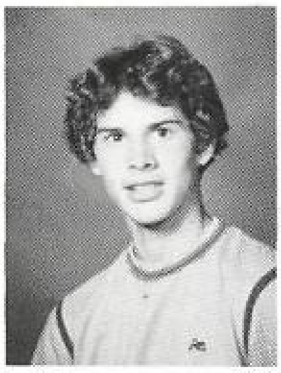
Not Pictured

Tina Bartlett
Sonia Bates
Jackie Griggs
Kim Holloway
Roberta Lafata
Johnny Mayes
Cheryl Morin
James Ramsey
Wendy Sikes
Terry Taylor
Richard Tucker
Travis Wann
Mark Wright

Petti Witherow

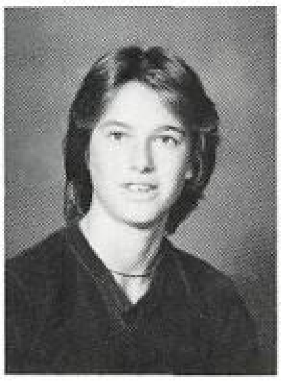
Ginny Wooten

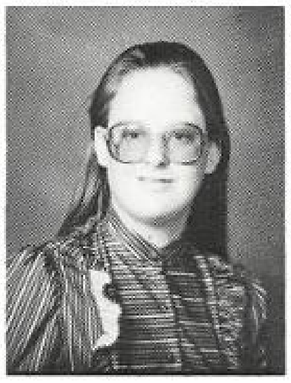

Roy Worthem


Mike Wray

Kim Wright

Tarita Wright


James Yates


Michelle Young

Penny Young

Zabreta Zach

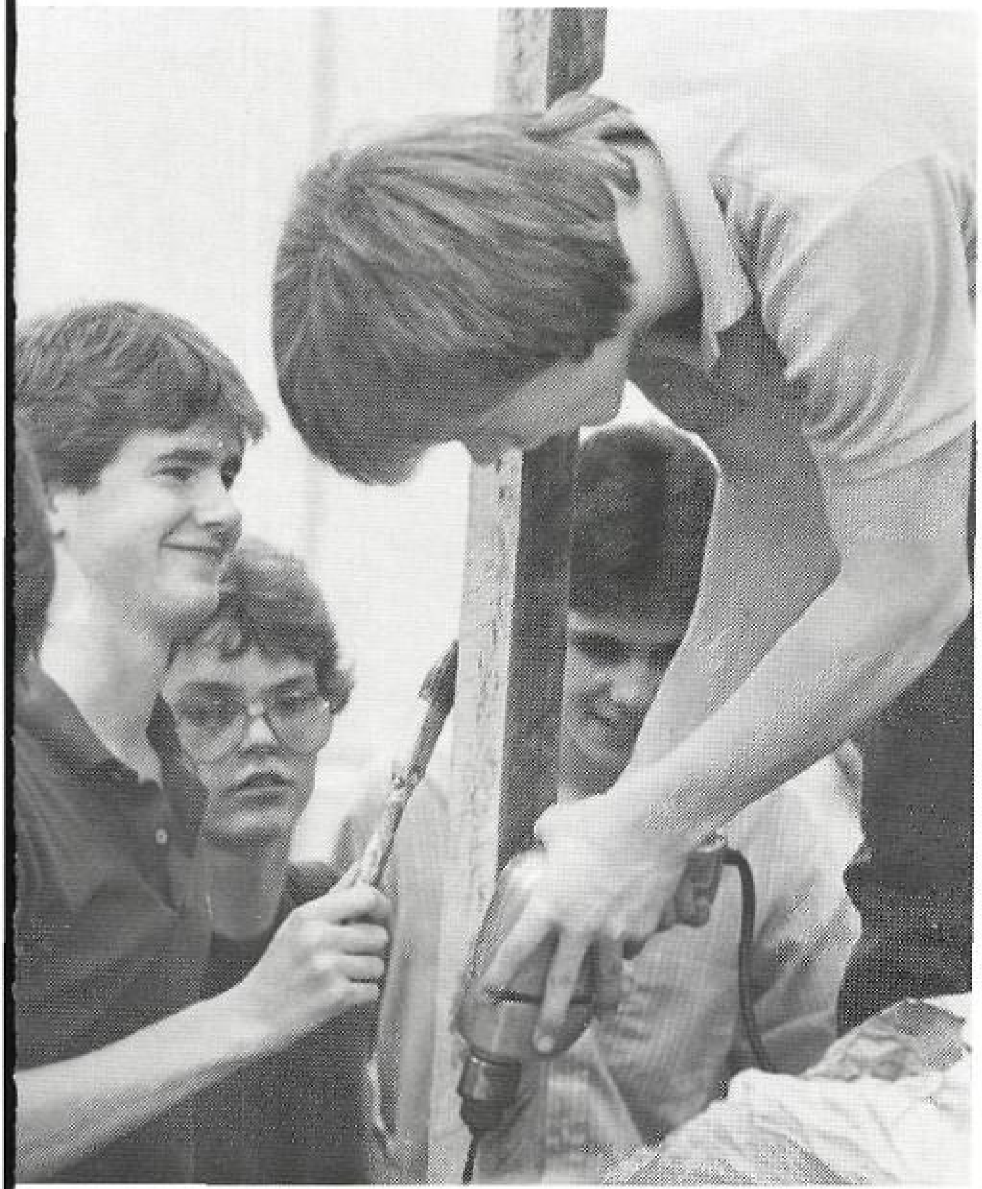
Where Would You Go If You Could?

If you could take an all expense paid trip anywhere in the world, where would it be? The sophomores were faced with this question when the ***Gold Dust*** *Staff conducted a survey. The top choices were as follows:*

Bahamas
Hawaii
France
Switzerland
Japan

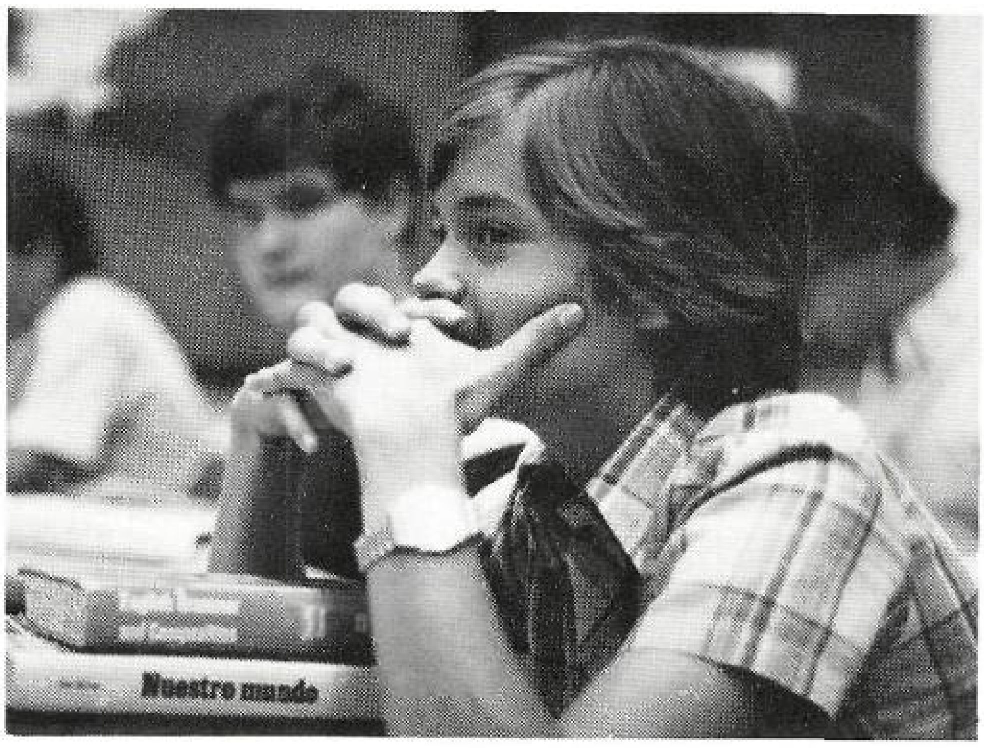
Sophomores Get in the Act. *One of the first activities in which the sophomores can participate is Homecoming. As all Smyrna students, the sophomores worked many days building their sophomore float. Their moment of glory occurred when they proudly displayed their float during the Homecoming parade.*

Time for New Friendships. *One of the exciting parts of being a sophomore is making new friends. These friendships are developed any time students have a moment to talk. The time spent at the lockers is an especially good opportunity to talk to new friends. Pictured is Terry Williamson who is taking a few moments to talk to other students.*



Hours of Preparation. *Building a float for the Homecoming parade is a new experience for many of the sophomores. They learn the proper use of many tools such as saws, hammers, and drills. Rob Gwynne, Dwight Hudson, Mack Short, and Jeff Edwards are enjoying their tasks as they construct the frame for the sophomore float.*

New Academic Challenges. *Sophomores find themselves rapidly thrown into new and challenging academic situations the moment they begin high school. Many of them are faced with daily homework assignments and classes for which they have to prepare. Daniel Plain's stack of books and his deep thinking are evidence of the challenging atmosphere in which he finds himself.*



ding That Bulldog Spirit. *As sophomores establish their class ity, they also become an integral part in the development of that log spirit. Their first pep rally is a learning experience as they are duced to new cheers and the bulldog ways. These sophomores ss mixed reactions as they feel the enthusiasm of their first S.H.S. rally.*

SETTING GOALS

Plans For A Better Future

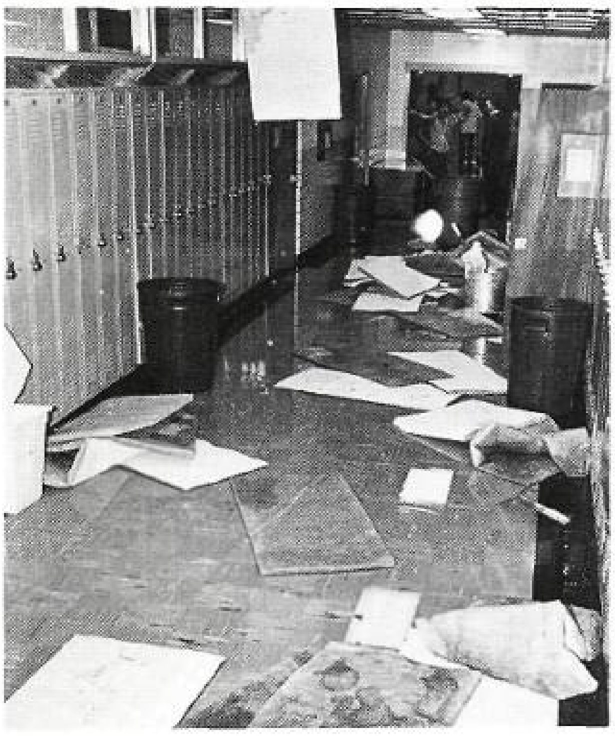
A sophomore has more electives to choose from than ever before. Biology offers students the chance to learn about various forms of life, both plants and animals. Many sophomores take typing in order to prepare for future college assignments. Math is also important to a sophomore — geometry involves the study of angles, planes, and such odd shaped objects as trapezoids, octagons, and elipses. Sophomores who are interested in becoming fluent in another language may take a Spanish, French, or Latin course. The driver's education class is taught to instruct students in the rules of the road and give them some experience in driving under various conditions.

Many students set high goals for themselves to maintain certain standards of achievement. Many hope that they will be invited to an elite club during their junior year. Some of these clubs include Beta Club, Mu Alpha Theta, the math honor society; Beta Epsilon, the English honor society; and the National Honor Society.

Another area available for sophomore participation involves S.H.S.'s athletic programs. Some of these sports include basketball, football, softball, baseball, cross-country, tennis, and golf. Clubs and organizations which actively support our teams are our cheerleaders, band, pep club, S club, and the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

Sophomores became very involved in Homecoming activities this year. They enjoyed the building of their first float. Other new experiences include the sophomore candy sale and the schoolwide magazine drive.

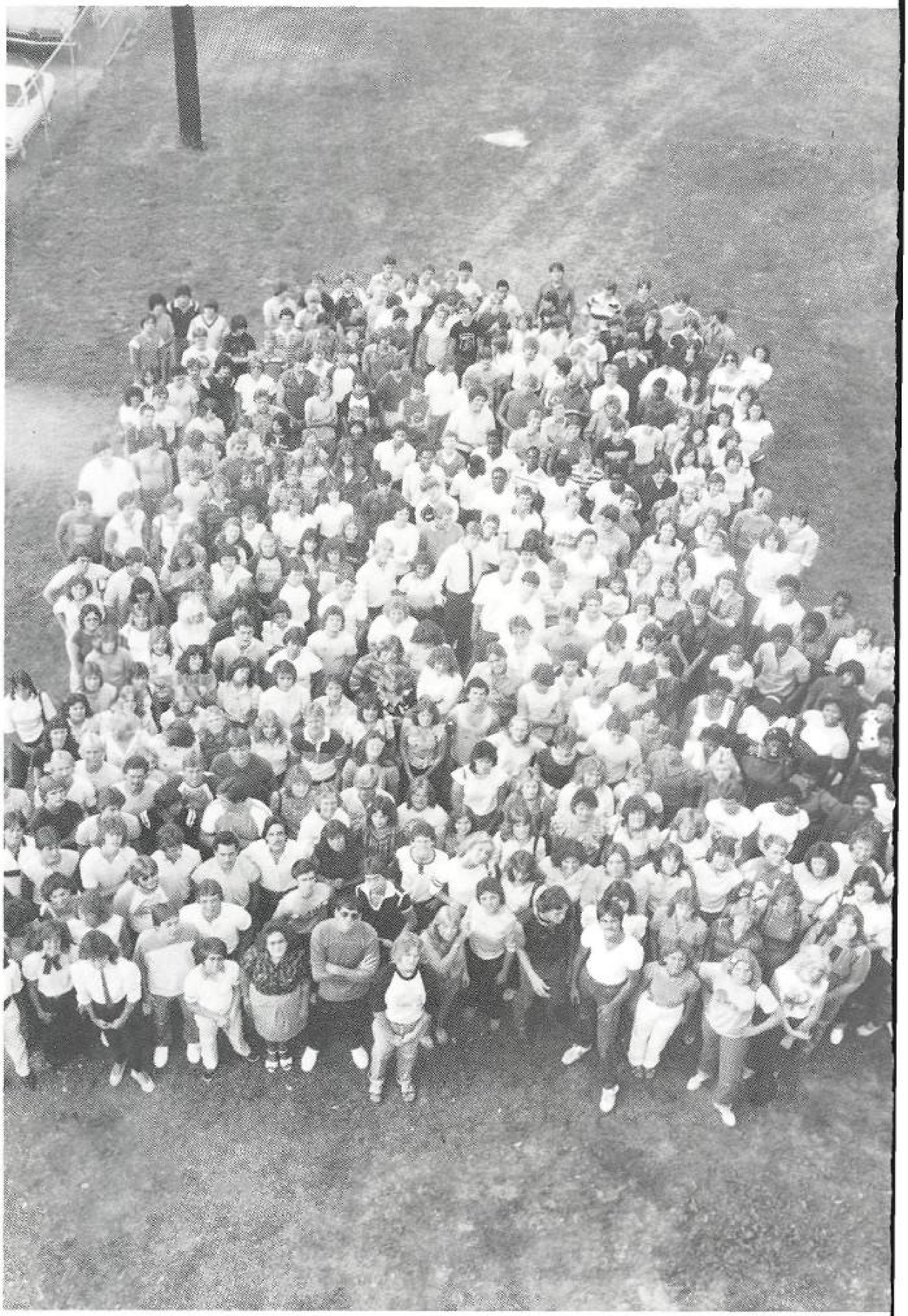
Becoming a sophomore is a major step forward in becoming a responsible, mature adult. The decisions one must make can affect one's future. The activities the sophomores participate in now will become their cherished memories tomorrow.



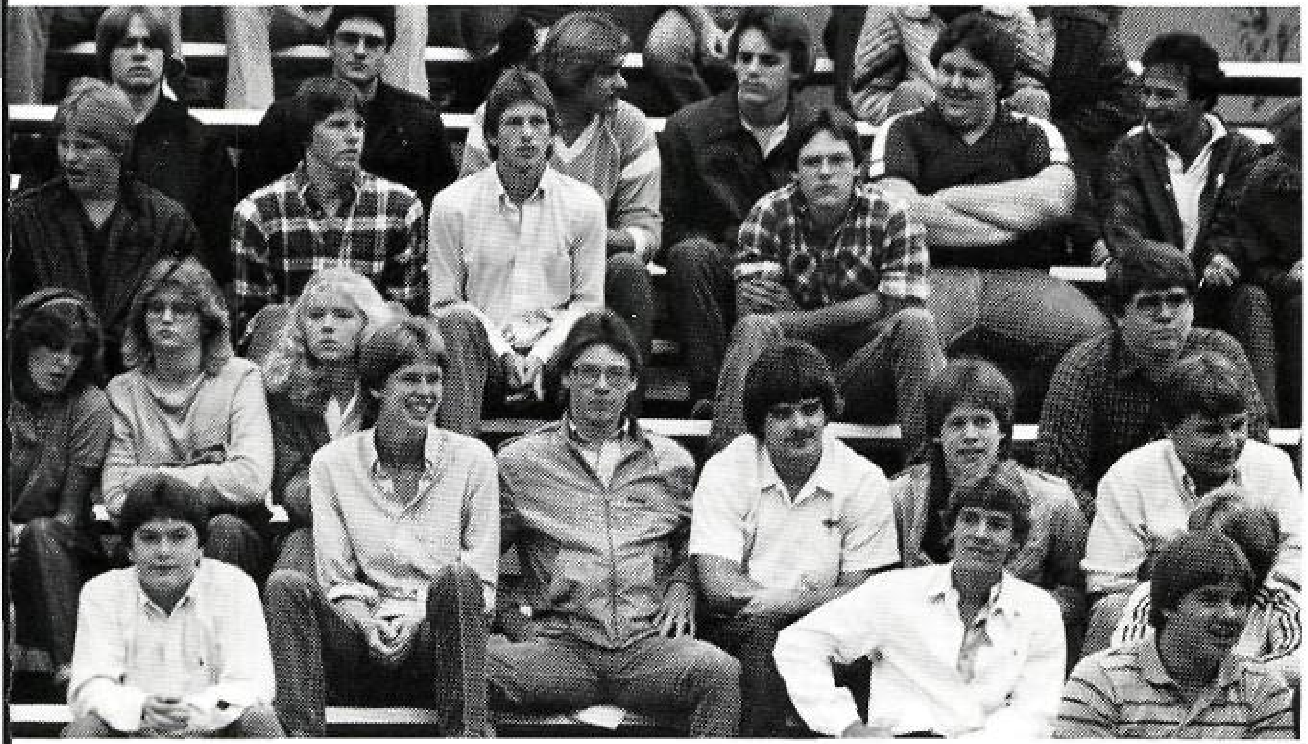
The student life section focuses on the friendships, activities of students, and the memorable moments of our school year. In the future, we will look back at this section and remember the music, fashions, fun times, school spirit, classes, and emotions that made the 1983-84 year a special one. The senior superlatives and the magic of Homecoming week are also featured in this section.

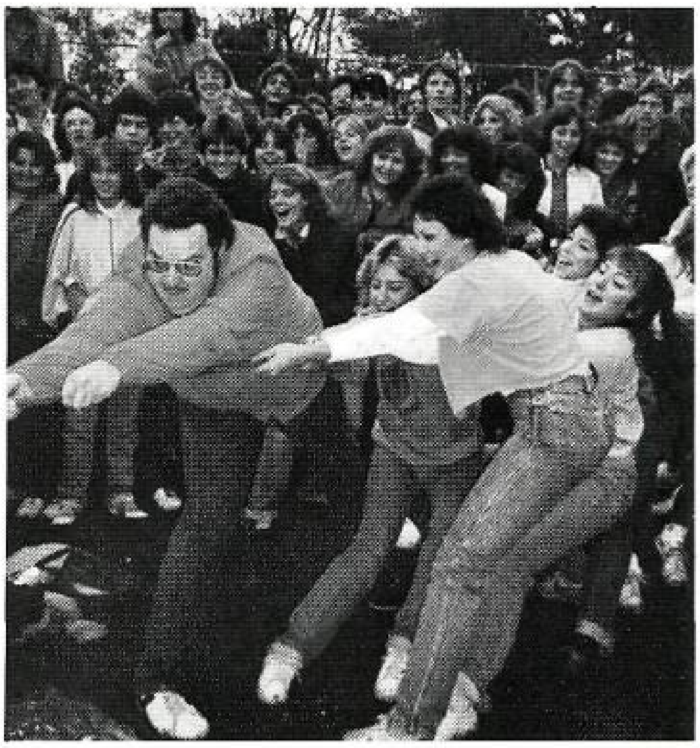
Roof Collapses. *In October of the 1983-84 school year, our school was flooded by water which poured through the non-repaired part of the roof during the first big rain. — photo by Jim Davis.*

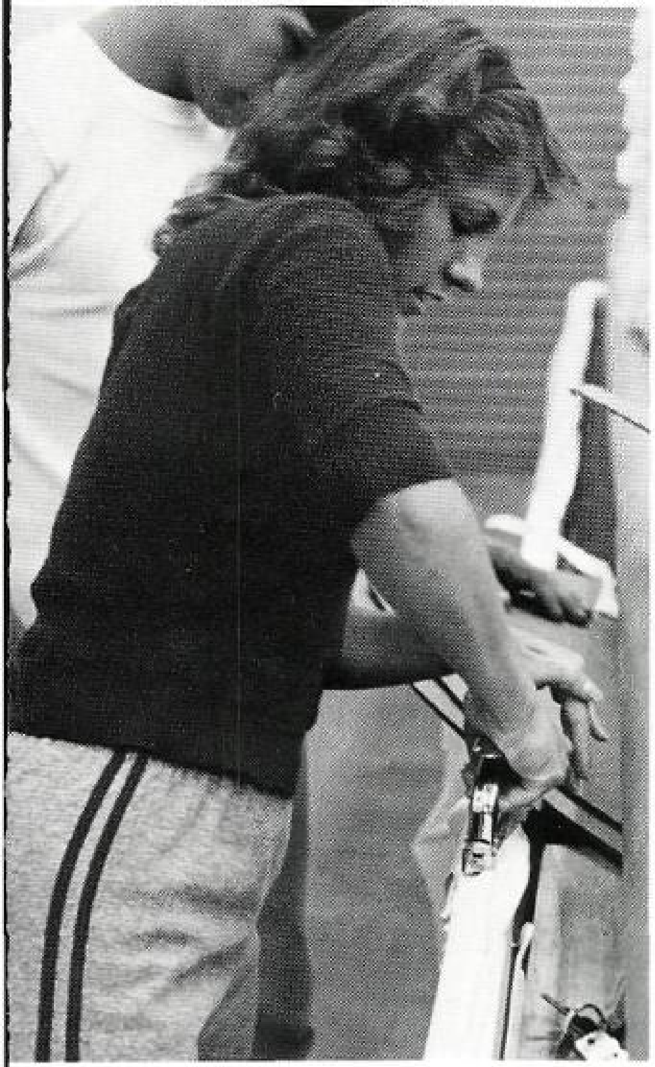
The Entire Senior Class. *The graduating class of 1984 poses for their last group shot.*



STUDENT LIFE







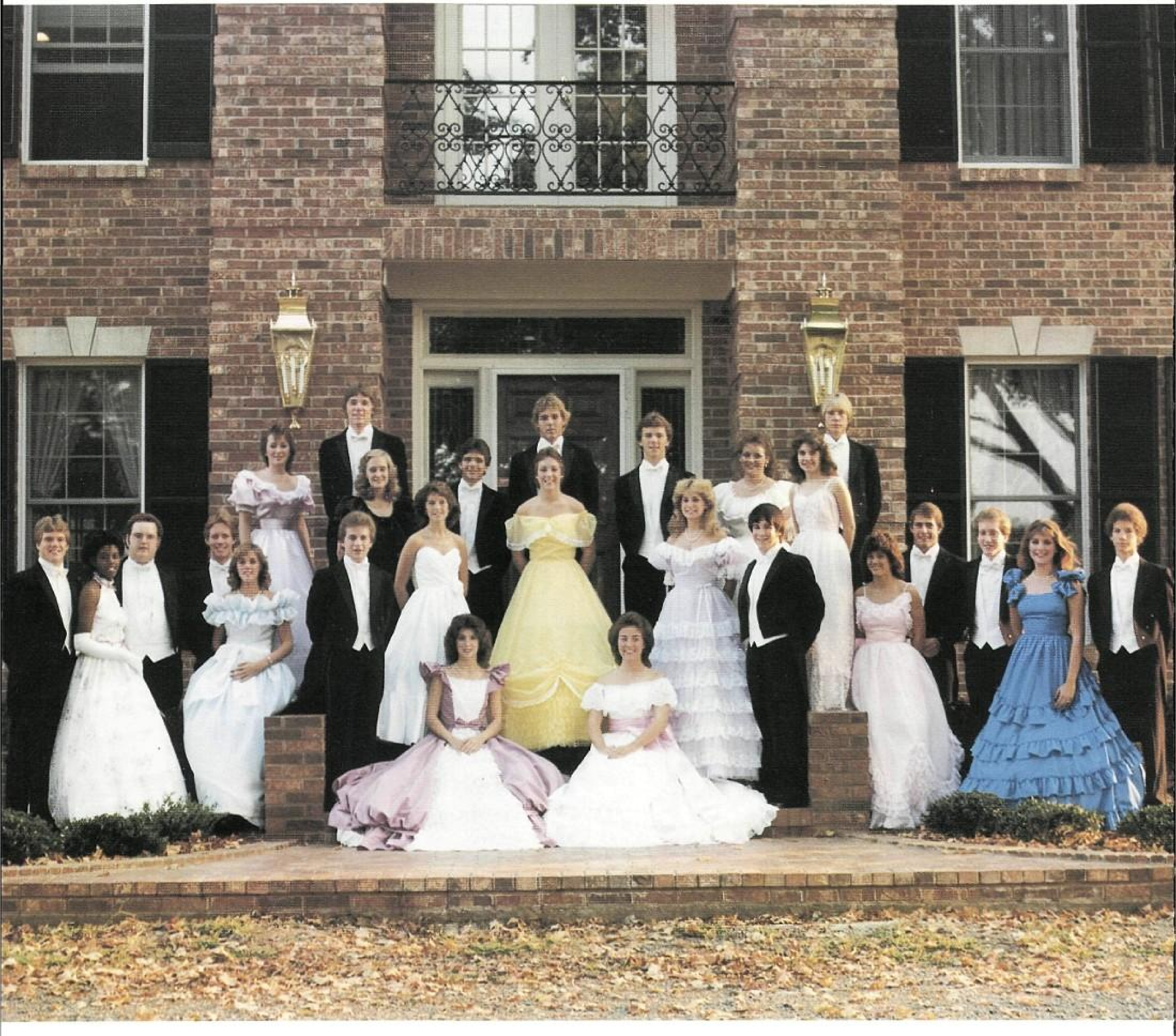
"Enthusiastic" Crowd. *An interested crowd of students watch as the junior Betas beat the senior Betas in a game of powder puff football.*

Tug-of-War. *Jim Rippy, Angel Estes, Sharon Wingate, Kathy Ralston, and Sharon Jones are afraid they are about to fall into a pile of shaving cream during the tug-of-war.*

Powder Puff Women. *Sandi Johns, Kim Percha, and Bethany Wilson, rough and tough Beta members, are about to take on the junior Betas in a game of powder puff football.*

Vorking Extra Hours. *Lisa Spann works hard after chool during the Homecoming week to put together he junior float for the parade.*

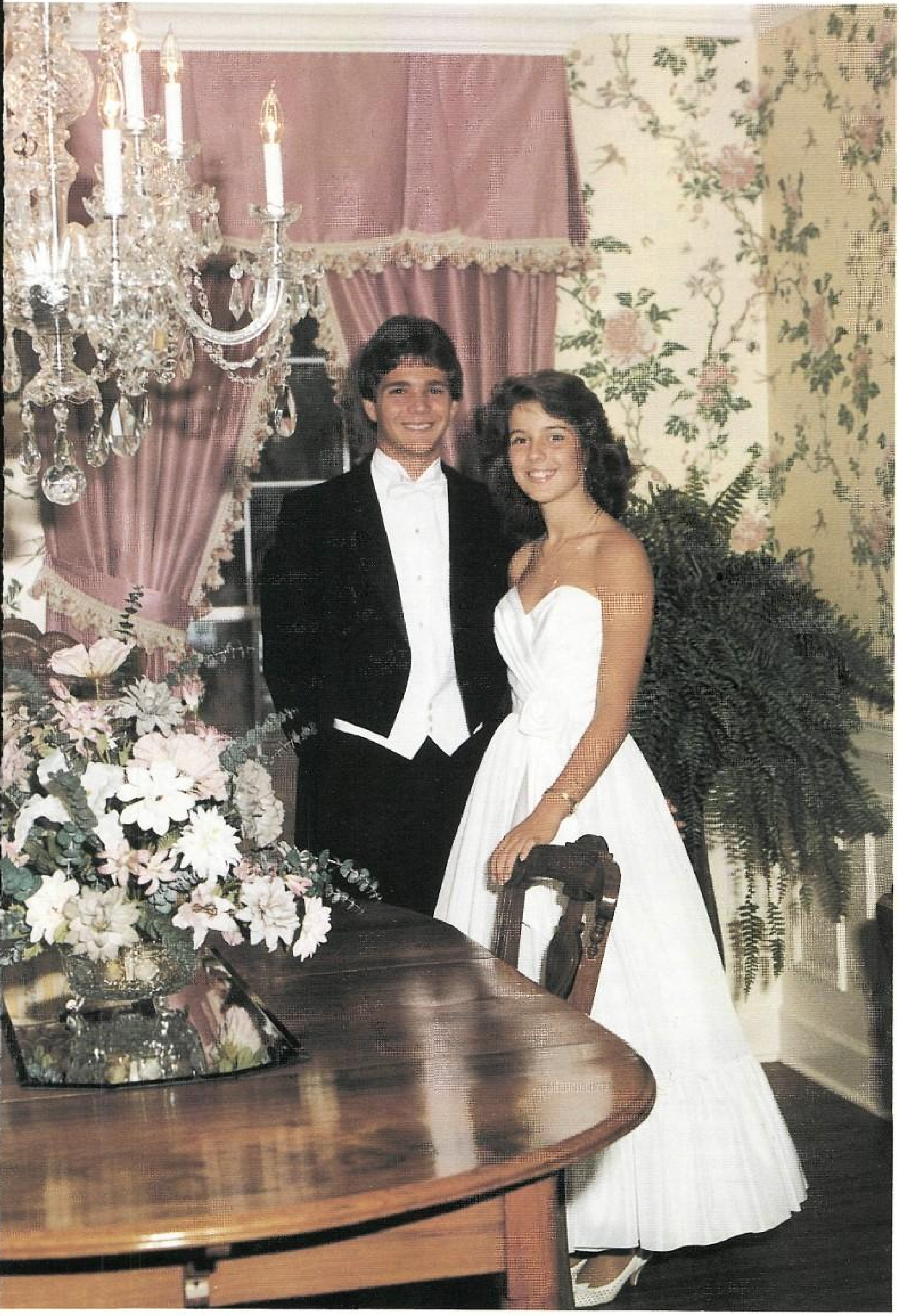
1983-84 SENIOR SUPERLATIVES



The votes were in. Mrs. Raikes and Mr. Miller were given the tedious job of counting each and every one. When the counting was done, the 1983-84 Senior Superlatives were announced. Each one felt a deep sense of honor at having been chosen by his class as the one who most exemplifies an outstanding trait.

The ***Gold Dust*** *staff would like to thank Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johns, Jr., for allowing us to have the superlatives photographed in their lovely home. Also, we express our appreciation to Gilda York of Mitchell's at Hickory Hollow for allowing us the use of their tuxedos.*

BEST ALL AROUND



Sandi Johns, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johns, Jr., plans to attend the University of Tennessee at Knoxville to major in engineering. Offices she has held include that of vice president of the junior and senior classes, secretary of the sophomore class, treasurer of the National Honor Society, and activities chairman of Beta Epsilon. Other organizations in which Sandi holds membership include Mu Alpha Theta, Interact, Beta Club, S Club, FCA, Student Council, and the tennis team. She is currently the captain of the cheerleaders and the editor of the features section of the **Gold Dust** staff. During her junior year, she was a Girls' State delegate and was elected to the office of mayor in her division. Her name is listed in **Who's Who Among American High School Students** and in **Who's Who Among American Foreign Language Students.**

The son of Mr. Duane Loux and Ms. Elsa Loux, Doug Loux is involved in many clubs and organizations. He is the Student Council president and also holds offices in the National Honor Society and the Key Club. He is an active member of the Beta Club, Beta Epsilon, and the tennis team. Doug's name was listed in **Who's Who Among American Foreign Language Students.** His future plans are to attend the University of Tennessee to major in business and engineering.

DOUG LOUX and SANDI JOHNS

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

Martha Harris was voted Most Likely to Succeed by her senior class. She is involved in various clubs and organizations, including the National Honor Society, Beta Club, Pep Club, Student Council, and OEA-TOEC. She has served as treasurer of the Beta Club in her junior year and treasurer of her class during her junior year. She also serves as president of OEA-TOEC. Martha was the OEA-TOEC elected voting delegate to the National Conference during her junior year. She also won the MTEMC school essay award. After graduation, Martha plans to attend college to study early childhood education or business. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Harris.

Don Johnson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee R. Johnson, is the president of the National Honor Society and Beta Epsilon. He also holds membership in the Beta Club, Science Club, Mu Alpha Theta, Interact, S Club, and Pep Club. Don was a Boys' State delegate during his junior year. His name is listed in ***Who's Who Among American High School Students*** *and* ***Foreign Language Students.*** *Don plans to attend Nashville Tech as a prerequisite to Life Chiropractic College.*

MARTHA HARRIS and DON JOHNSON

BEST SCHOOL SPIRIT

Antoinette Cannon has been very active during her high school years. She is the captain of the cheerleaders and the Student Council treasurer. Clubs she has held membership in include the National Honor Society, Beta Club, Mu Alpha Theta, Pep Club, and the S Club. Her name is listed in ***Who's Who Among American Foreign Language Students.*** *Antoinette is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Graton Cannon, Jr.*

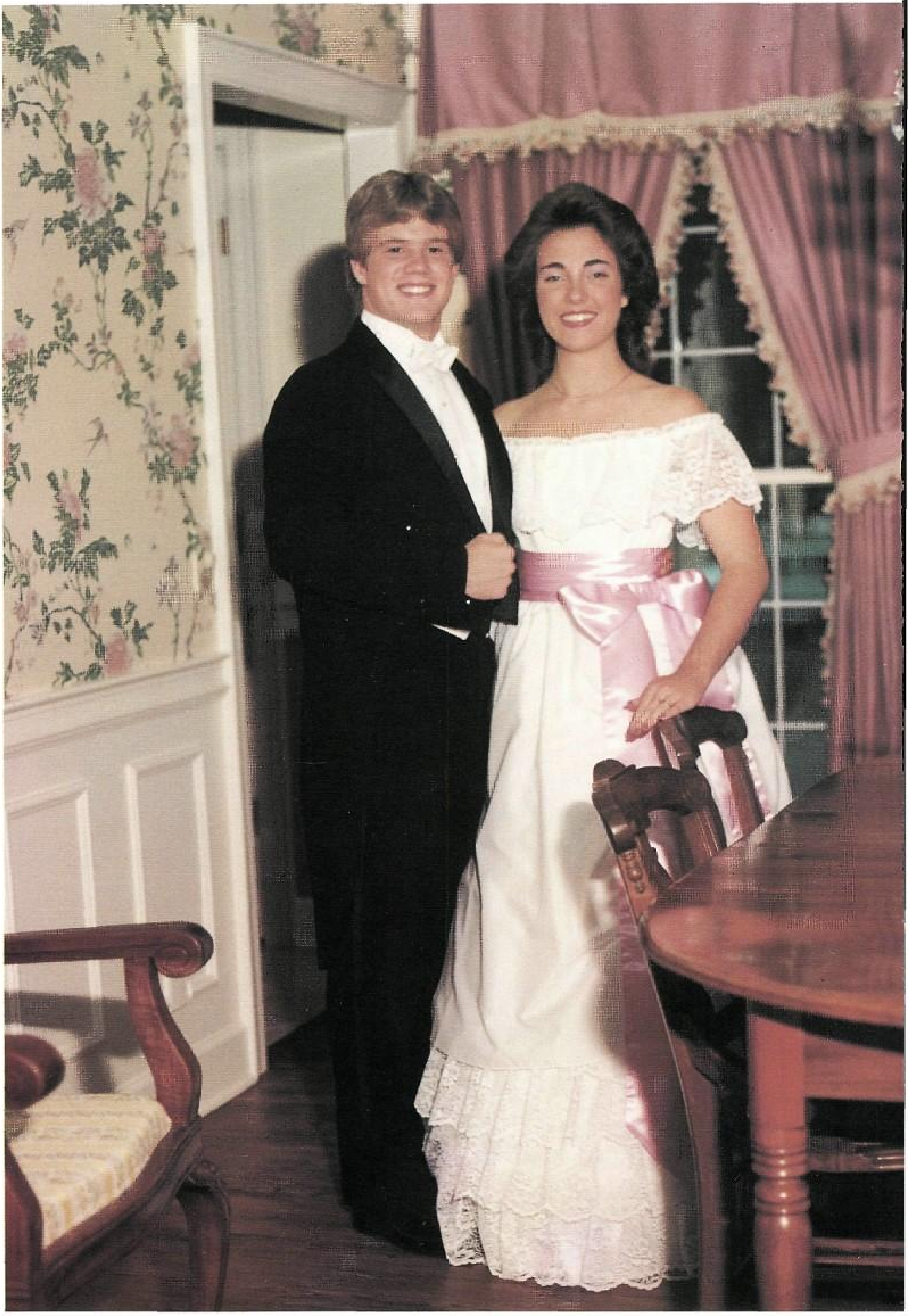
Jim Rippy, the son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Rippy, is involved in many clubs and organizations. During his sophomore and junior years, he served as the manager of the football team. Currently, Jim is president of the Interact and 4-H Clubs and secretary of the Science Club. He is also the business manager of the ***Gold Dust*** *staff. Other clubs Jim holds membership in are the Pep Club and S Club. Jim's future plans include attending M.T.S.U., majoring in journalism.*

ANTOINETTE CANNON and JIM RIPPY

MOST POPULAR

Bethany Wilson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilson, is listed in ***Who's Who Among American High School Students.*** *She is the senior class treasurer, a Student Council representative, and an office worker. During her sophomore year, she was the bulldog mascot, and as a junior, she was OEA class president. Other clubs she has been involved in during her high school years include the Beta Club, Drama Club, Interact Club, Pep Club, and French Club. Bethany plans to attend the University of Tennessee at Knoxville.*

Voted Most Popular, Robert Carillon is a member of a semi-professional band which has traveled to Arkansas, Georgia, Minnesota, and Kentucky. Clubs which he is involved in include VICA, FCA, Interact, and the Pep Club. As sophomore, Robert was the basketball team manager, and during his junior and senior years, he has played on the football team. He plans to attend college for one year at U.T., majoring in architectural engineering and minoring in music. For the final years of college, Robert will attend Belmont College. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale J. Grandbois.



ROBERT CARILLON and BETHANY WILSO

MOST INTELLECTUAL

Diane Griffin, the daughter of Carl and Glenda Griffin, is involved in many of the clubs found at S.H.S. She serves as secretary of the National Honor Society and holds membership in the Beta Club, Beta Epsilon, Mu Alpha Theta, Science Club, and Pep Club. She is the copy editor of the ***Gold Dust*** *staff. Her name is listed in* ***Who's Who Among American High School Students.*** *During her junior year, she was a Girls' State delegate. Diane's future plans include attending M.T.S.U. to major in the field of journalism and minor in computer science.*

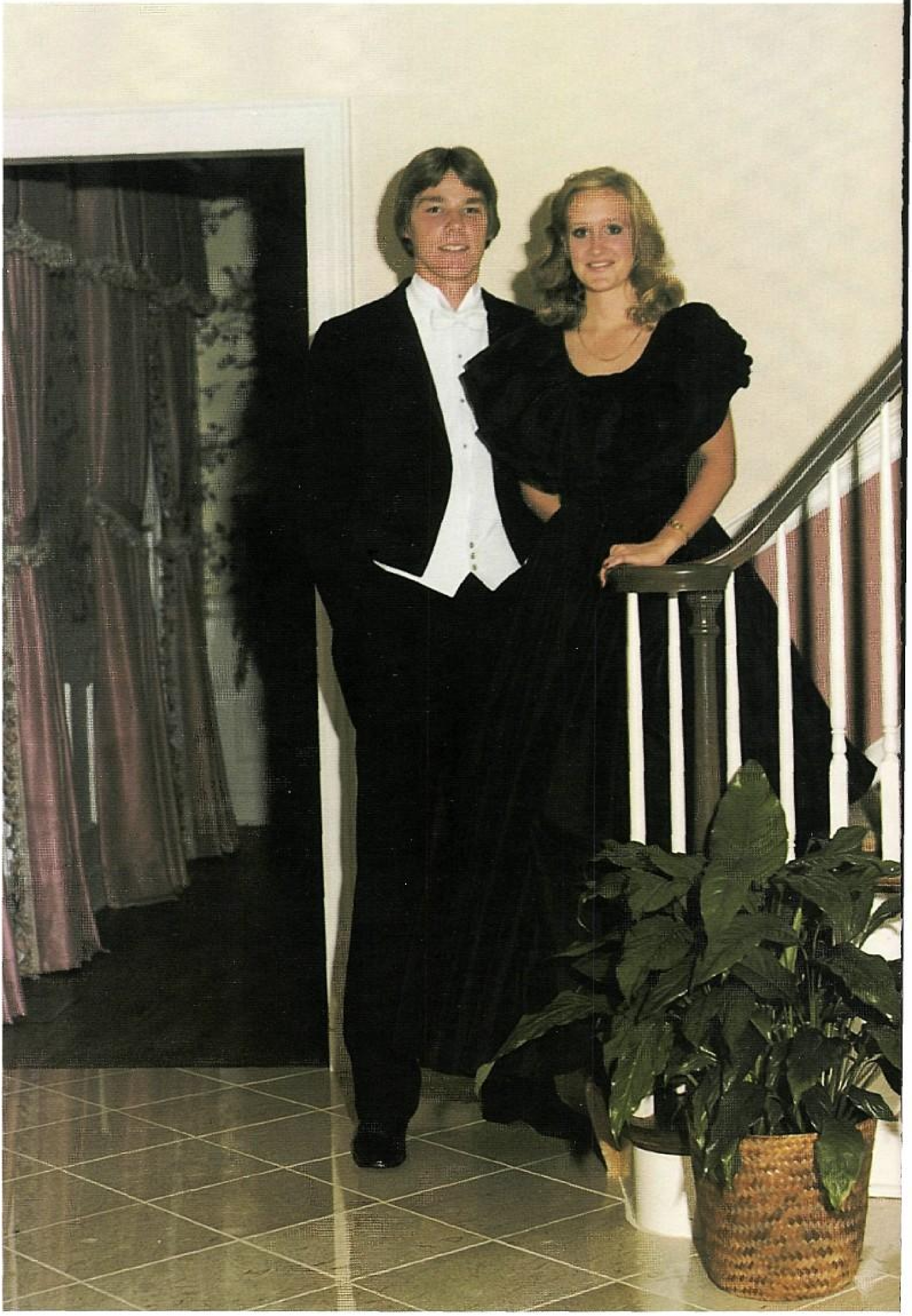
Voted Most Intellectual, Barry Cartwright has maintained a 4.0 grade point average throughout his high school years. He holds offices and membership in numerous clubs and organizations. Some of these are the National Honor Society, Beta Epsilon, Mu Alpha Theta, Beta Club, Science Club, Interact, and the Student Council. Barry's name is listed in ***Who's Who Among American Foreign Language Students*** *and in* ***Who's Who Among American High School Students.*** *He has served as class president during all of his high school years and is a photographer on the* ***Gold Dust*** *staff. Barry, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cartwright, was a Boys' State delegate during his junior year. His future plans are to attend college to major in computer science and minor in photojournalism.*

DIANE GRIFFIN and BARRY CARTWRIGHT

BEST PERSONALITY

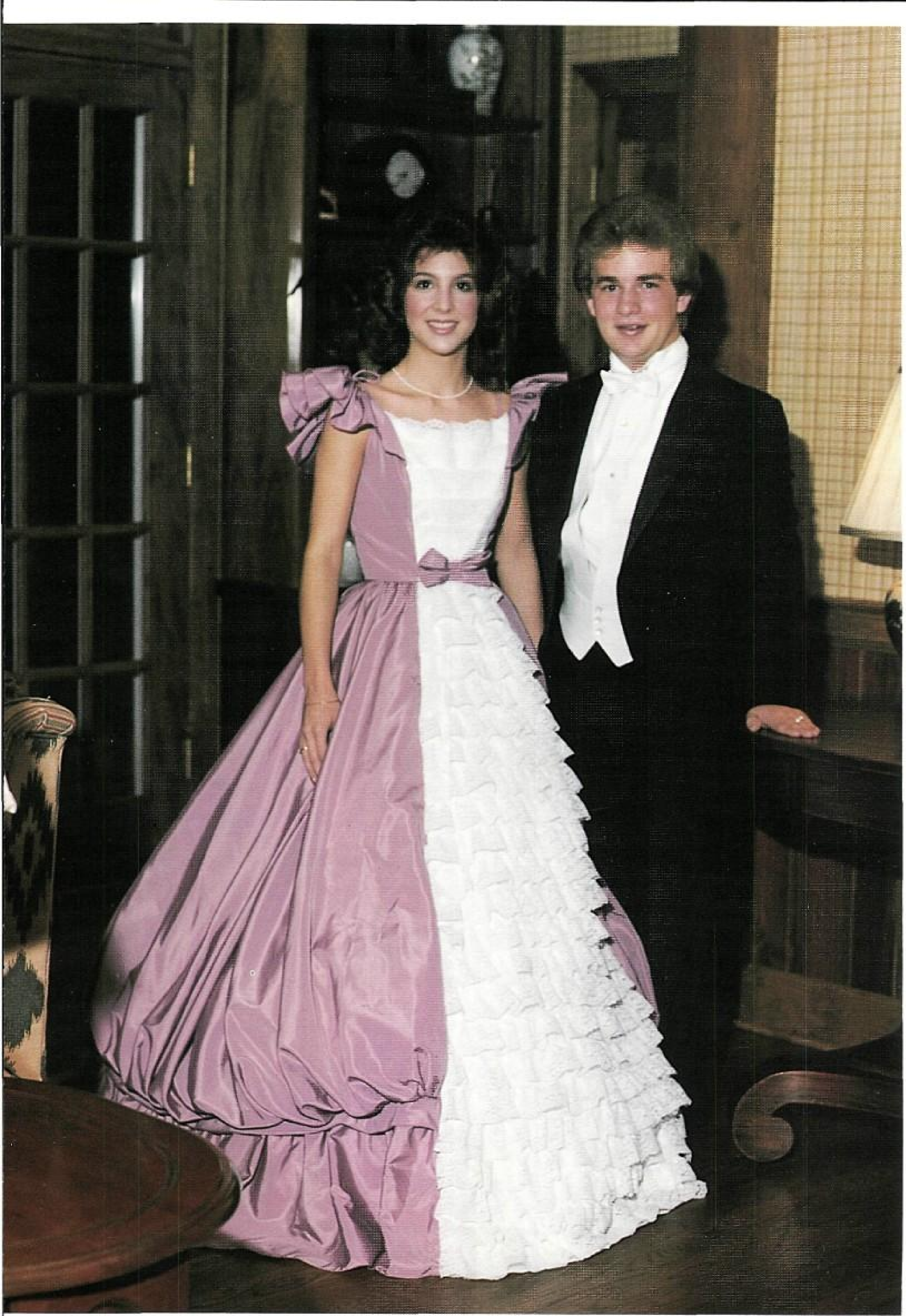
Voted Best Personality, Kristie Haynes is involved in many activities at S.H.S. She is the editor of the ***Gold Dust*** *staff and has served as secretary of the Student Council, secretary of the senior and junior classes, and treasurer of the sophomore class. She holds membership in the following clubs: Mu Alpha Theta, Beta Club, Interact, Pep Club, and FCA. Her future plans include attending U.T. Knoxville, majoring in computer science. Kristie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Haynes.*

Kerry Morris, the son of Ray and Jean Morris, has future plans of attending college to pursue a career in engineering. He is a member of many clubs at S.H.S., including the Beta Club, Mu Alpha Theta, S Club, Interact, Pep Club, and FCA. Kerry has many hobbies, one of which is playing the drums. He has served as football team captain and also plays on the basketball team.



KERRY MORRIS and KRISTIE HAYNE

MOST TALENTED



Sharon Jones, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry A. Jones, has studied dance since the age of four. She is a member of the Chicago National Association of Dance Masters and has studied with professionals Greg Begley, Gus Giordano, and Luigi. Sharon owns her own dance studio known as The Dance Academy. She is the clubs and organizations editor of the ***Gold Dust*** *staff. She is a member of Interact, TOEC, FHA-HERO, and the Pep Club. Sharon's future plans include attending M.T.S.U. for certification as a court stenographer. She also plans to study other areas of dance.*

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Cox, Ronnie is a member of a musical group known as The Young Blades of Bluegrass. This group has traveled most of the country from Florida to Alaska. They have performed on the Grand Ole Opry and on numerous television and radio shows, including ***P.M. Magazine*** *and* ***The Barbara Mandrell Show.*** *The Young Blades of Bluegrass also played with Barbara Mandrell in Las Vegas and Lake Tahoe, and they taped an HBO special with her. The group were the first young people to receive the Ohio State Governor's Award in its thirty-one year history. Ronnie writes most of the songs that the group performs. His future plans include attending Belmont College to branch off into other areas of music, such as producing, arranging, and engineering.*

SHARON JONES and RONNIE COX

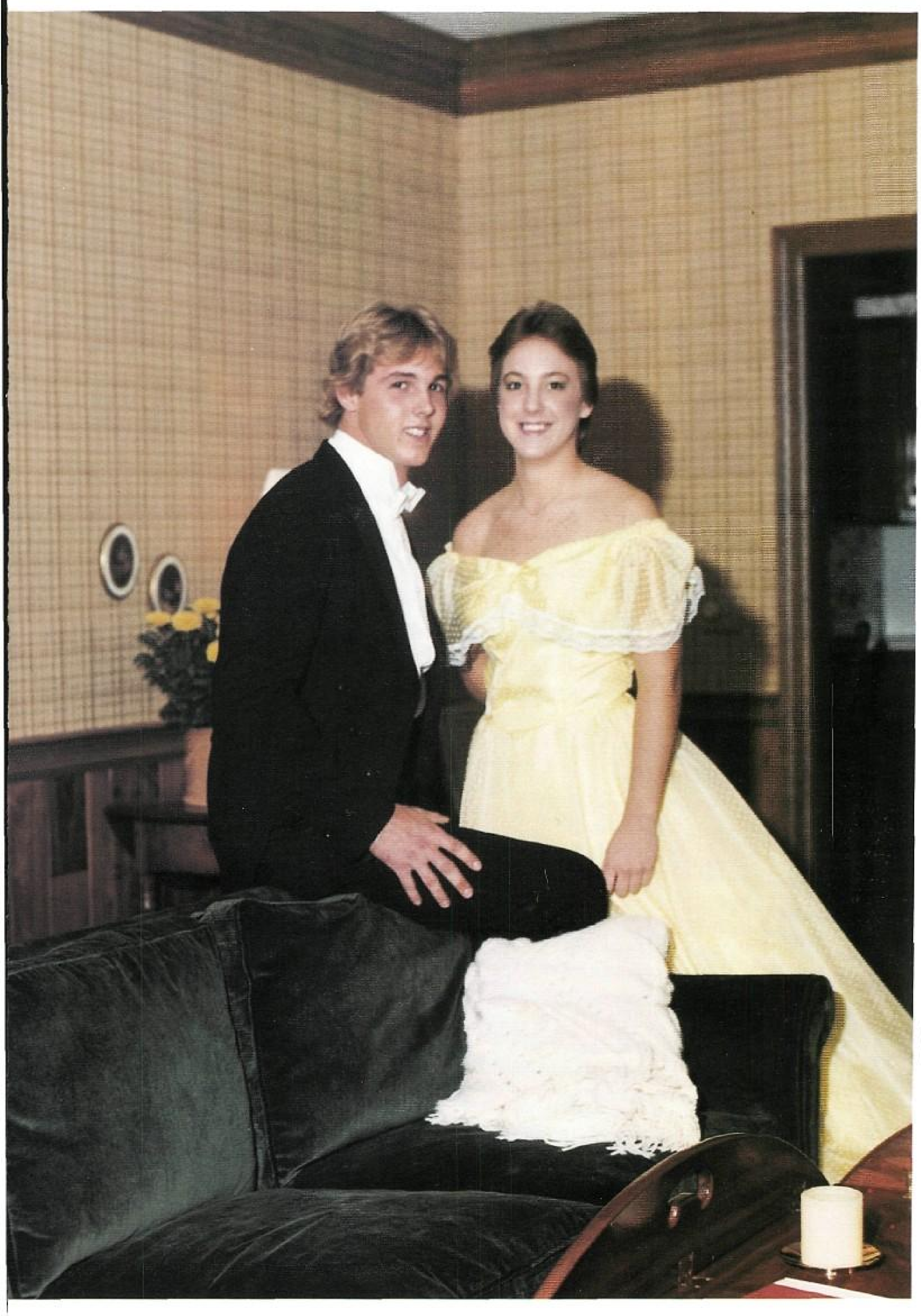
PRETTIEST AND BEST LOOKING

Tracey Epps's future plans include attending Nashville Tech to major in the field of accounting. She was elected as a Homecoming attendant during her sophomore and junior years. She is a member of the Pep Club and OEA-TOEC. During her sophomore year, Tracey was also a member of the softball team. Tracey's hobbies include softball and water-skiing. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Epps.

Mitch Freeman, the son of Nathan and Alice Freeman, is currently involved in many clubs and organizations, such as the Key Club, Interact Club, Pep Club, STEP Club, and FCA. He is a three year letterman of the football team. Following graduation, Mitch plans to further his education at college and pursue a career in the field of computer science and business administration.

MITCH FREEMAN and TRACEY EPPS

MOST ATHLETIC



Candy Whitley, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold S. Whitley, has been very active throughout her high school years. She is the captain of the volleyball and softball teams. Candy, an office worker, is also a member of the basketball team, Pep Club, S Club, and Interact. She plans to attend a junior college in Pensacola, Florida, where she will major in physical therapy.

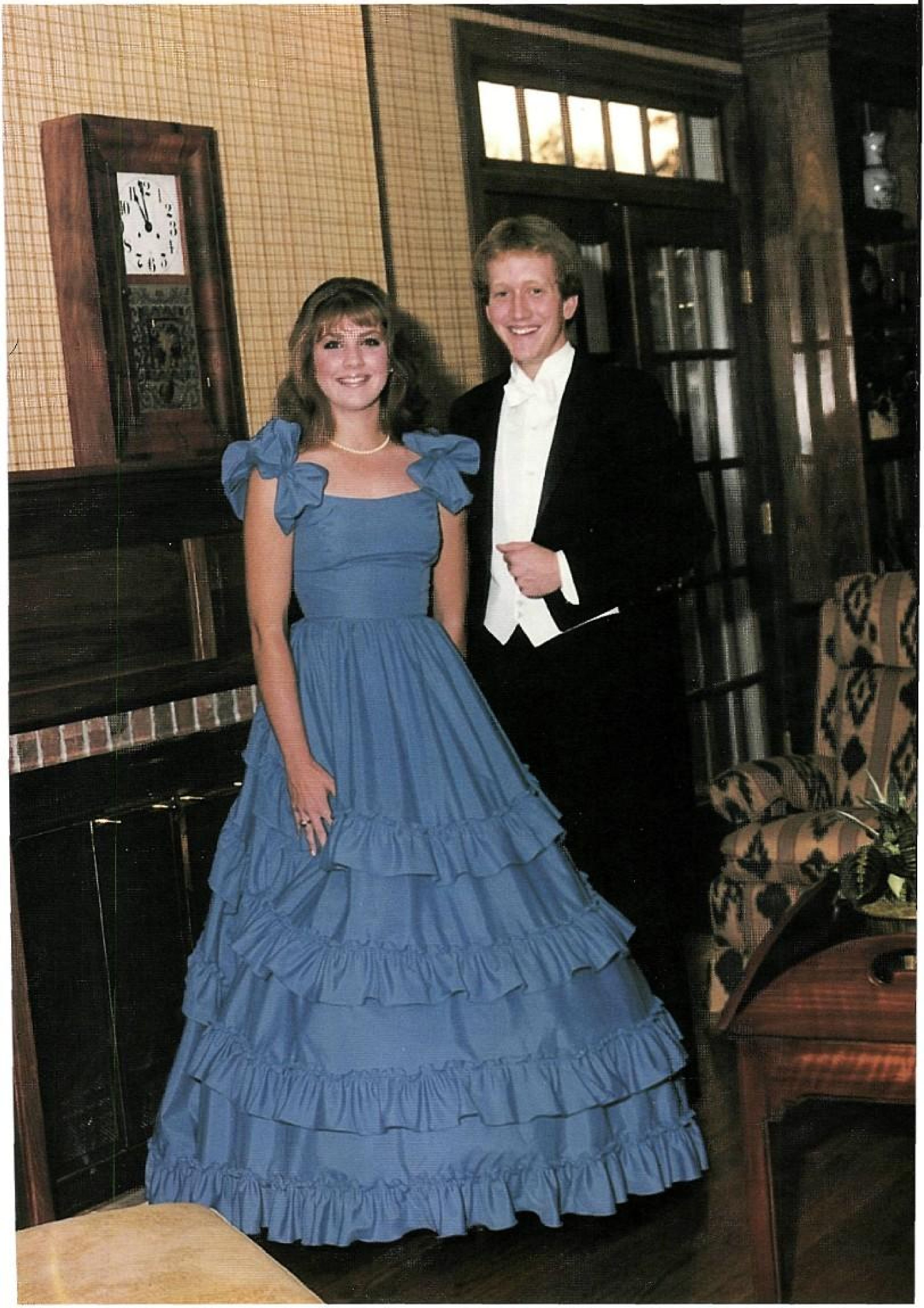
Ken Thomas is a member of the baseball and basketball teams this year. During his junior year, he played on the football team. He has been the sergeant at arms of the sophomore, junior, and senior classes. He is also a member of the Student Council, Science Club, Key Club, and Building and Trades. His future plans include attending college where he will be actively involved in sports. Ken is the son of Richard Thomas and Mai Thomas.

KEN THOMAS and CANDY WHITLEY

FRIENDLIEST

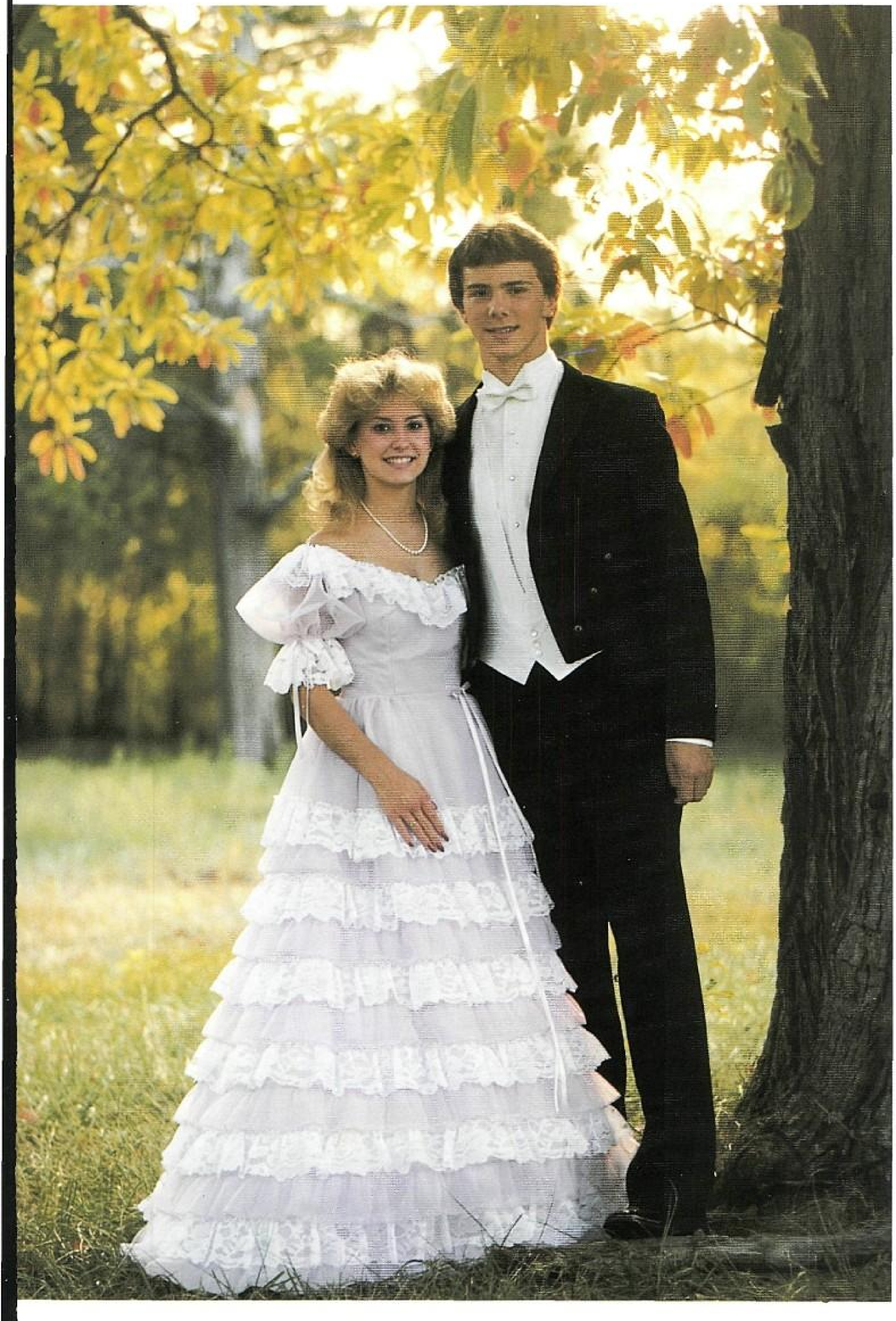
The daughter of David and Lynn Ralston, Kathy Ralston has been involved in numerous clubs and organizations during her high school years. Some of these include the tennis team, Student Council, FCA, Science Club, Step Club, S Club, French Club, Interact, Pep Club, and FHA/ HERO. During her junior year, she was named Most Valuable Player on the tennis team. Her name is listed in ***Who's Who Among American High School Students.*** *After graduation, Kathy plans to attend college to study in the field of nursing.*

Michael Williams, the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wayne Williams, is a very active member of Miracle Baptist Church. He is the children's choir leader, and he sings in the adult choir and in a quartet. He is also a member of the Pep Club, Science Club, V.I.C.A., Interact Club, and Student Council at S.H.S. Currently Michael is the treasurer of the Science Club. His future plans include attending M.T.S.U. for two years and then attending the four year Doctor of Pharmacy program at U.T. Memphis.



KATHY RALSTON and MICHAEL WILLIAMS

CUTEST



Sharon Wingate plans to attend college at M.T.S.U. to major in interior design. Sharon, the daughter of Ken and Betty Wingate, has held membership in many clubs during her high school years. These include the Student Council, S Club, French Club, Interact, Pep Club, and FHA/HERO. During her junior and senior years, she served as an office worker.

Sharon's name is listed in ***Who's Who Among American High School Students.***

She was a cheerleader during her junior year.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary J. Miller, Brad Miller is the captain of the basketball team and has served as captain of the football team. He is currently president of the Science Club. Other clubs he has held membership in include the Pep Club, Mu Alpha Theta, Beta Club, STEP, Interact, and S Club. Brad's future plans include attending the United States Coast Guard Academy to study electrical engineering.

SHARON WINGATE and BRAD MILLER

WITTIEST

Love
always
Julie
Towns

Voted Wittiest because of her uncanny ability to make people laugh, Julie Towns is a member of the band, F.H.A., Drama Club, Concert Band, and R.O.T.C. During her sophomore year, Julie was a member of the Pep Band. Following graduation, she plans to attend college. Julie is the daughter of Ann and Sherman Towns.

John Atwood, the son of John and Sandra Atwood, has been a Student Council representative during all of his high school years. During his sophomore and junior years, he was a member of the Science Club. He also competed in the National Science Olympiad and received a Certificate of Distinction. John's future plans include attending a Georgia college, majoring in the field of marine biology.

JULIE TOWNS and JOHN ATWOOD

BEST DRESSED

Voted Best Dressed, Kelly Ferrell is involved in the Interact Club, serving as active vice president, Science Club, Pep Club, and Student Council. During her junior year, she won awards in OEA-TOEC. Kelly, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Ferrell, plans to major in nursing, specializing in pediatrics at U.T. Knoxville.

Mark Pickel is listed in ***Who's Who Among American High School Students.*** *He is involved in many clubs which include the Key Club, National Honor Society, Beta Club, Pep Club, Interact Club, Mu Alpha Theta, and FCA. During his junior year, Mark was a Boys' State delegate. He has played on the football team during his sophomore, junior, and senior years. Mark's future plans are to attend M.T.S.U. to study banking and finance management.*

MARK PICKEL and KELLY FERRELL

BULLDOG TALENT

A Talented Trio

Ronnie Cox, a senior; David Miller, a junior; and Shelly Cox, a sophomore, are the musically talented members of the group, The Young Blades of Bluegrass. These three met at a bluegrass festival in Ohio in 1979, and they have now been a band for five years. During this short period of time, they have experienced a great deal of success.

The group has performed on the ***Barbara Mandrell and the Mandrell Sisters Show,*** *Grand Ole Opry,* ***Ralph Emery Show,*** *and the* ***Carl Tipton Show.*** *They performed with Barbara Mandrell in Las Vegas and Lake Tahoe during the summer. In August, they taped an HBO performance at the Tennessee Performing Arts Center in Nashville. Their career has included two performances in Alaska in concert. The group has also played with top celebrities such as Bob Hope, Conway Twitty, Ricky Skaggs, Bill Monroe, Marty Robbins, and Mel Tillis. In 1980, the Young Blades won the Ohio State Governor's Award for their contribution to the state in the field of entertainment. This was the first time in the thirty-one year history of the award that young people had ever received this honor.*

Many of the songs performed by the group are written by the group's members. Ronnie Cox plays banjo, David Miller plays mandolin and does a major portion of the lead singing, and Shelly Cox plays upright bass which makes up for the lack of a guitar. This group is an example of the ***Twenty-Four Carat Gold*** *talent possessed by the members of Smyrna High School.*

Returning Home. *One of the highlights for any performer is returning to play for the home folks. The Young Blades did just that when they performed for the magazine drive assembly. David and Ronnie are pictured as they entertain their fellow S.H.S. classmates.*

Showing Their Stuff. *The Young Blades have received recognition nationally for their varied talents. They demonstrate their talents as they entertain the students who had sold magazines.*

On Her Way Up. *Shelly Cox, a sophomore, is the only female member of the Young Blades of Bluegrass. She began playing the upright bass five years ago and is now considered an accomplished musician. She enjoyed entertaining her classmates during their performance at Smyrna High.*

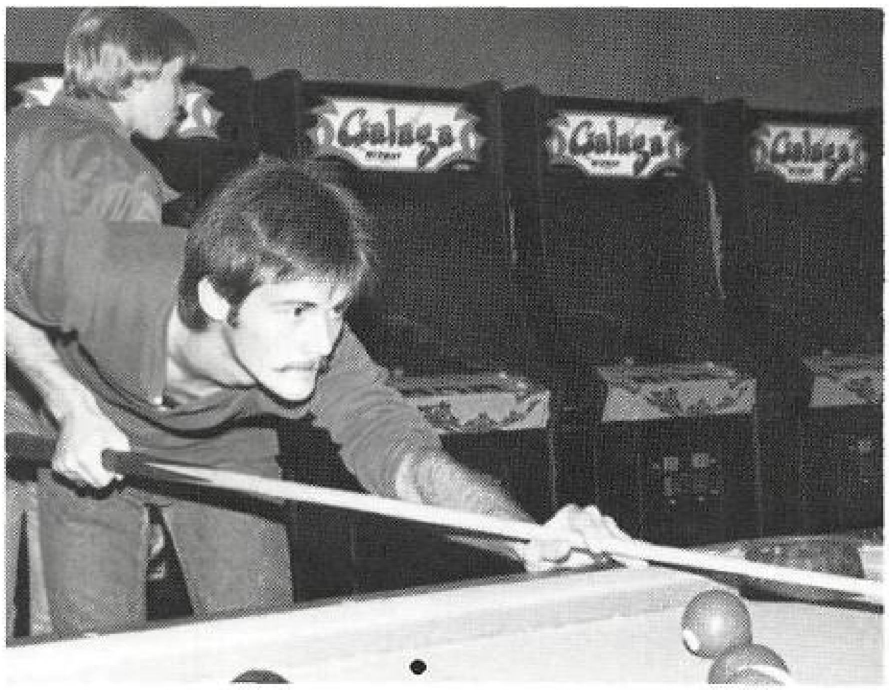
ARCADE ADVENTURES

The Video Crazies

Many students at Smyrna High School have caught the highly contagious disease known as the "video crazies." The primary symptom of this disease is a frantic collection of all spare change and then a quickly paced run to the nearest arcade. The disease often affects the speech of its victim; words such as Pac-Man, Centipede, Donkey Kong, Q-bert, Frogger, Tron, and Asteriods begin to flow from the mouth of a video-crazies' stricken student. A recent study has shown that the causes of this disease are many and varied and often mysterious. Some of the known causes include the enjoyment of challenge, a desire to achieve the highest score, and plain boredom.

Smyrna students used to have to drive to Murfreesboro or Nashville in order to receive treatments for this disease. However, with the growth of Smyrna, video game arcades such as The Electric Scene and Pepperoni's Playhouse have been built closer to home. Modern technology has also helped in this trauma; the invention of home video games allows students to enjoy the challenge of an arcade in the comfort of their own homes.

Whether at home or in an arcade, S.H.S. students can be found playing their favorite video games and enjoying every minute of it.



Concentrating on a Corner Shot. *Jeff Waynick concentrates on beating his opponent in a game of pool.*

He's Got The Fever. *Matthew Hetman smiles as he enjoys a quick game of Burgertime. Burgertime is a game in which a chef attempts to make burgers before being caught.*

LOCKER LOGOS

A Home Away From Home

As at any school, S.H.S. students are assigned books that must be taken care of. In order to take care of these books, students are given a locker of their own. Since the students have to "live in" these lockers for one whole school year, they strive to make them appear more like home. Some students put shelves in their lockers. Many students individualize their lockers by decorating them with wrapping paper, pictures of friends, memo boards, note pads, wall to wall magazine clippings of the latest teen idols, mirrors, stickers, and souvenirs from concerts of their favorite rock groups. Since each student is different and unique in his own way, each locker at S.H.S. portrays the individuality of its owner.

A Colorful Conversation. *While Barbara Francis likes to use memo boards and cross-stitch in her locker, football players like Mitch Freeman frequently use personal photographs and posters to decorate their lockers.*

24 Carat Pride. *A group of seniors show off their decorating abilities at their individualized lockers.*

WEEKEND FEVER

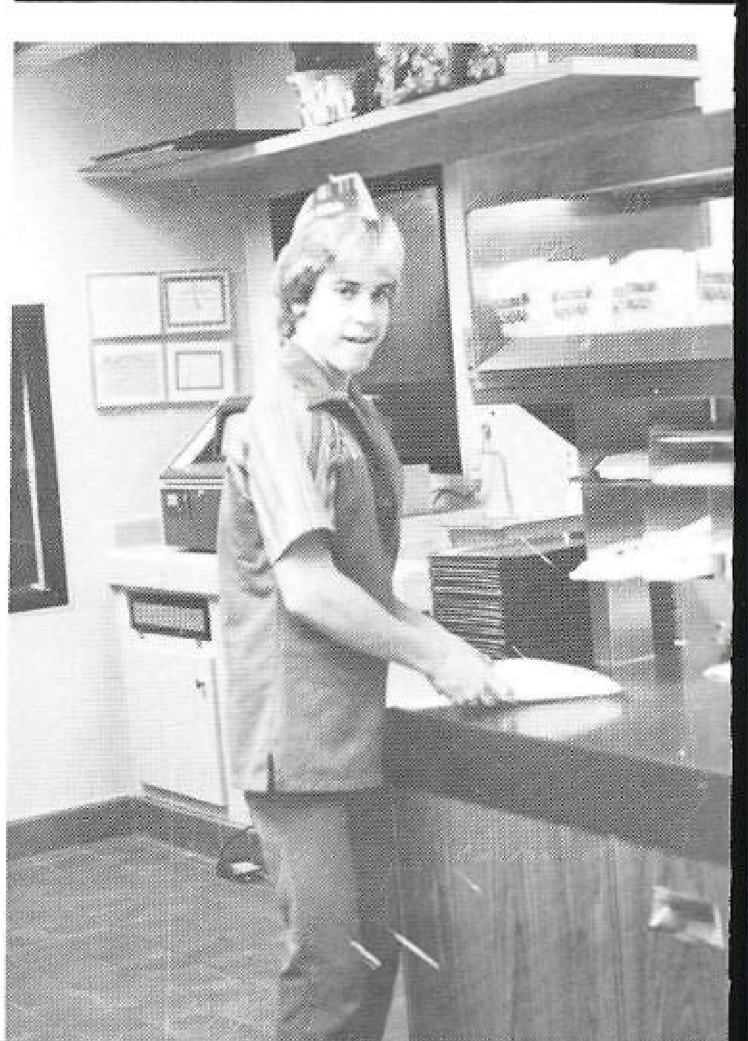
Life After School

The life of a Smyrna High School student includes by far more than just classwork, lectures, and homework. Many students work after school and on weekends. Trying to balance a homework load and a job around school becomes very difficult at times, but students somehow seem to manage. Some students work because of the need; others, for the extra spending money.

Another way to spend one's weekend is with one's girlfriend or boyfriend. Friday and Saturday night dates are almost sacred for some students. Ballgames and parties are also big events during a student's busy weekend. Going out with friends after the ballgames is another popular activity.

With the growth of Smyrna, students now have more places to go on the weekends. Restaurants such as Pepperoni's Playhouse, The Electric Scene, Pizza Hut, McDonald's, Hardee's, Bonanza, Taco Bell, and Captain D's offer Smyrna students a wider variety of food than ever found in Smyrna before.

Whether cruising with friends or working on the weekends, students enjoy their two days off each week. Life after school is a busy, fun-filled time for Smyrna High School's students.



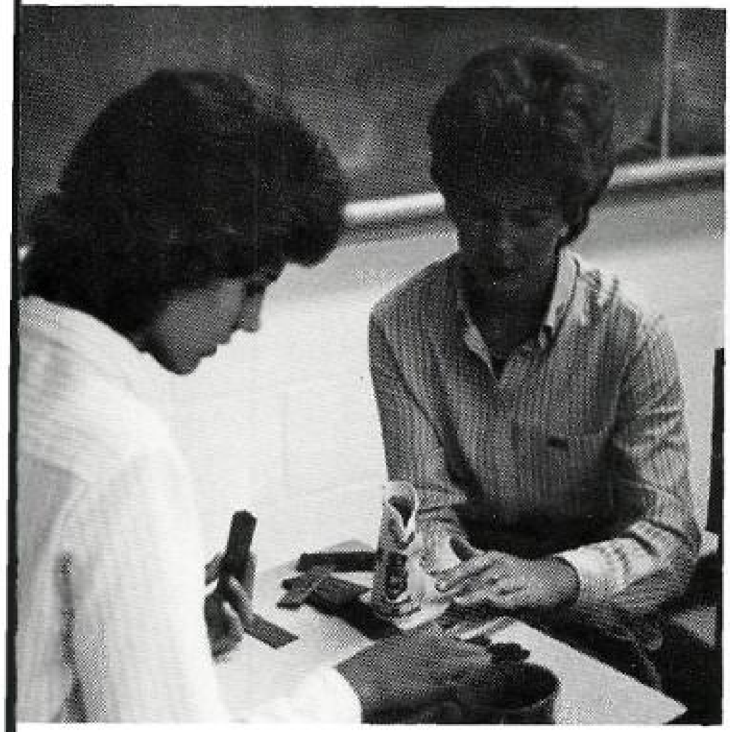
Working Hard for her Money. *Cynthia Foutch works at Winn Dixie after school. Cynthia takes time to smile as she checks out a customer.*

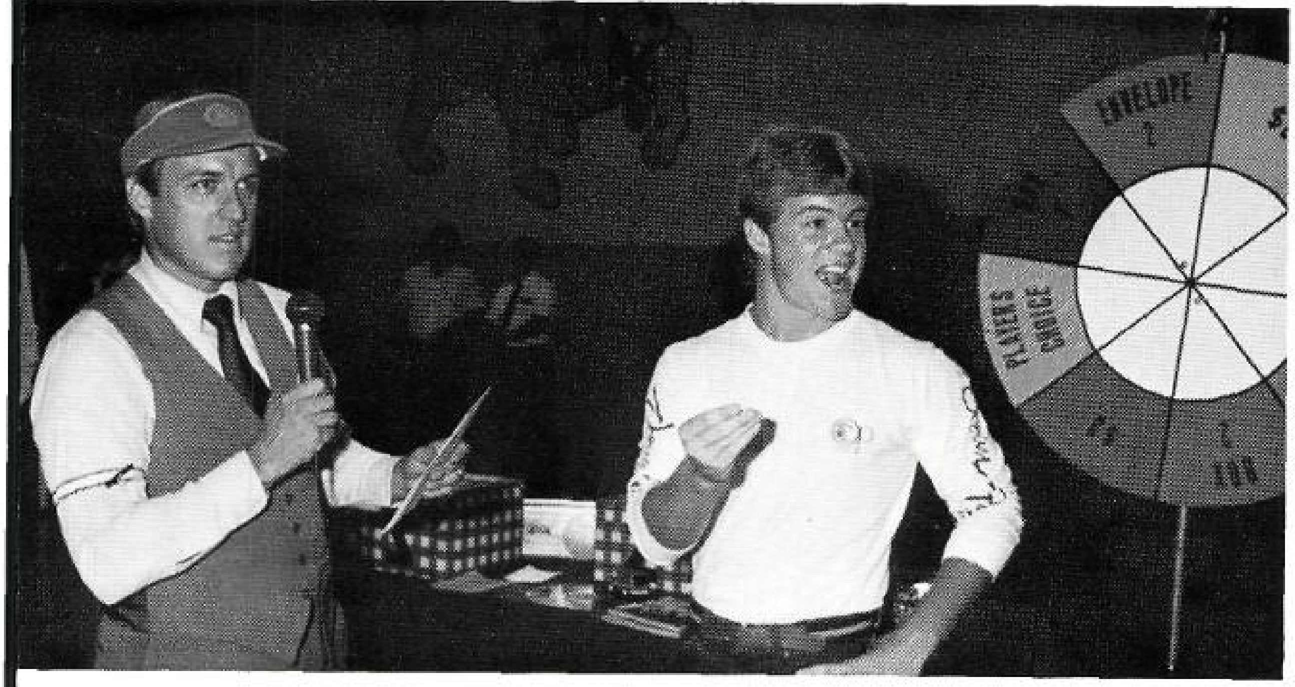
A Cheerful Worker. *Robert Chambless finds he has many responsibilities with his after-school job at Wal-Mart. Among these is keeping the baskets available for the next customers.*

Master of the Tacos. *Mike Sparks smirks at the photographer while bagging his spicy creation.*

FOOLISH FUND RAISERS

Another Way To Make A Buck





Fundraisers have always played an important part of the Smyrna High School year. The students profit one way or another from the money raised by these fundraisers. The largest is the school wide magazine drive. The paved parking lot, many air conditioners, and the paving in the back of the school are just a few of the many improvements that have been made through the money from this drive.

Clubs also need fundraisers in order to pay for field trips and necessary supplies. Sports teams need funds for new equipment, uniforms, and other essential items. The band and cheerleaders also need funds throughout the year. These clubs, organizations, and teams raise money through the sale of doughnuts, candy, Christmas ornaments, fruit, carnations, candygrams, balloons, and other miscellaneous items.

At the beginning of the year, sophomores raise money through a candy sale. This money is used for the construction of homecoming floats and for the cost of the senior prom. During Homecoming week, various fundraisers are held by clubs and organizations, such as balloon sales, computer games, and rifle shoot. The **Gold Dust** *staff must sell advertisements in order to pay for the production of the yearbook. The Student Council raises money for Saint Jude's Children Hospital in Memphis through their Red Cross Blood Drive.*

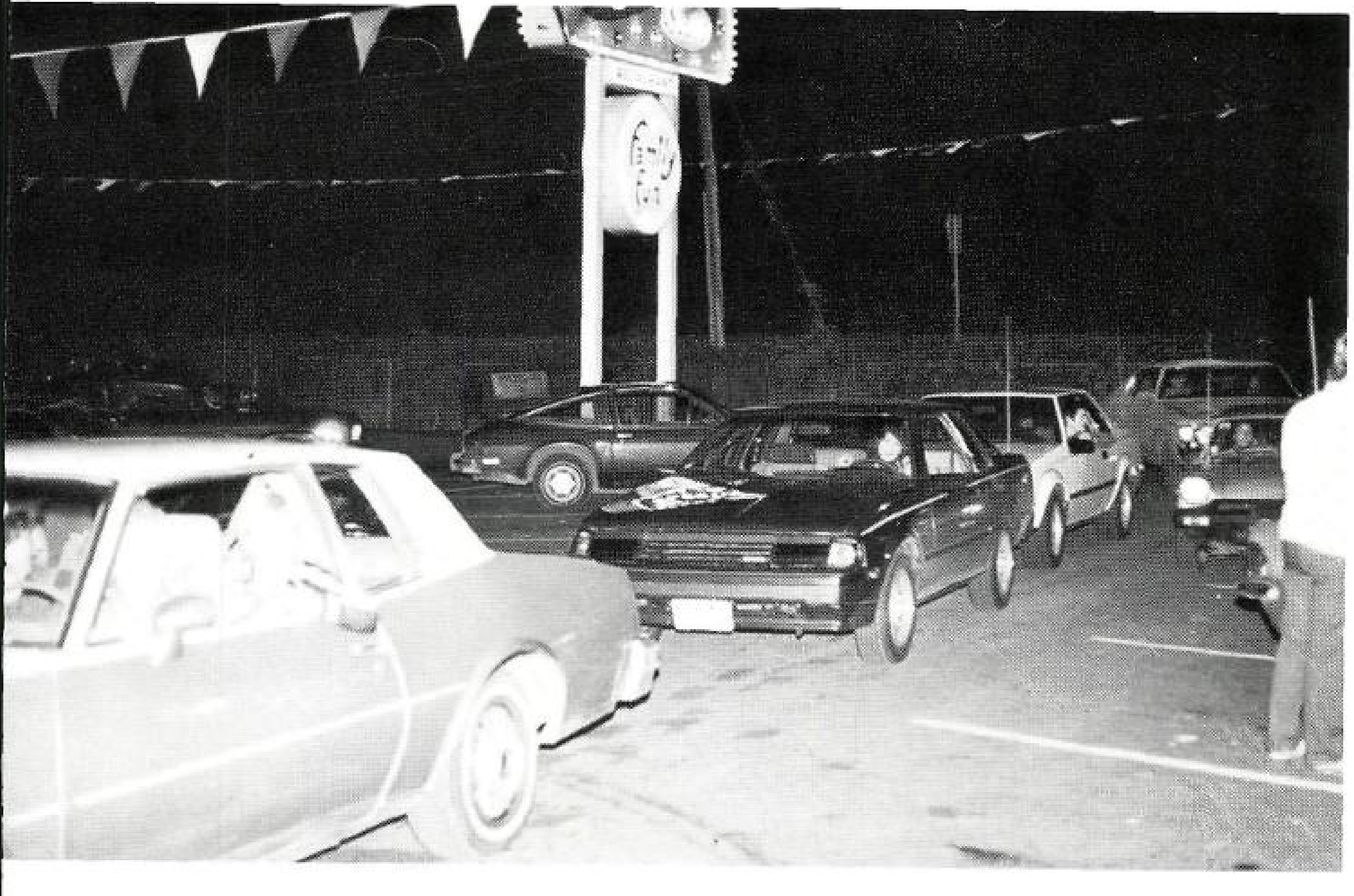
Fundraisers often seem to be silly and time-consuming. However, in the long run, we at Smyrna High School will benefit from them in many ways. Perhaps they are not so foolish after all.

Mrs. Richards Gets Involved. *During the sophomore candy sale, Mrs. Richards helps by selling candy to her classes.*

Money, Money, Money. *Mrs. Belser helps James Yates count the stacks of money during the sophomore candy sale.*

A Tedious Job. *Mrs. Price and one of her students roll change and count money from a candy sale.*

Let's Make a Deal. *Robert Carillon contemplates whether to take the money or go for the prize during the magazine assembly.*



Creating a Friendly Jam. *Students cruise through the parking lot of The Electric Scene and stop to chat with friends.*

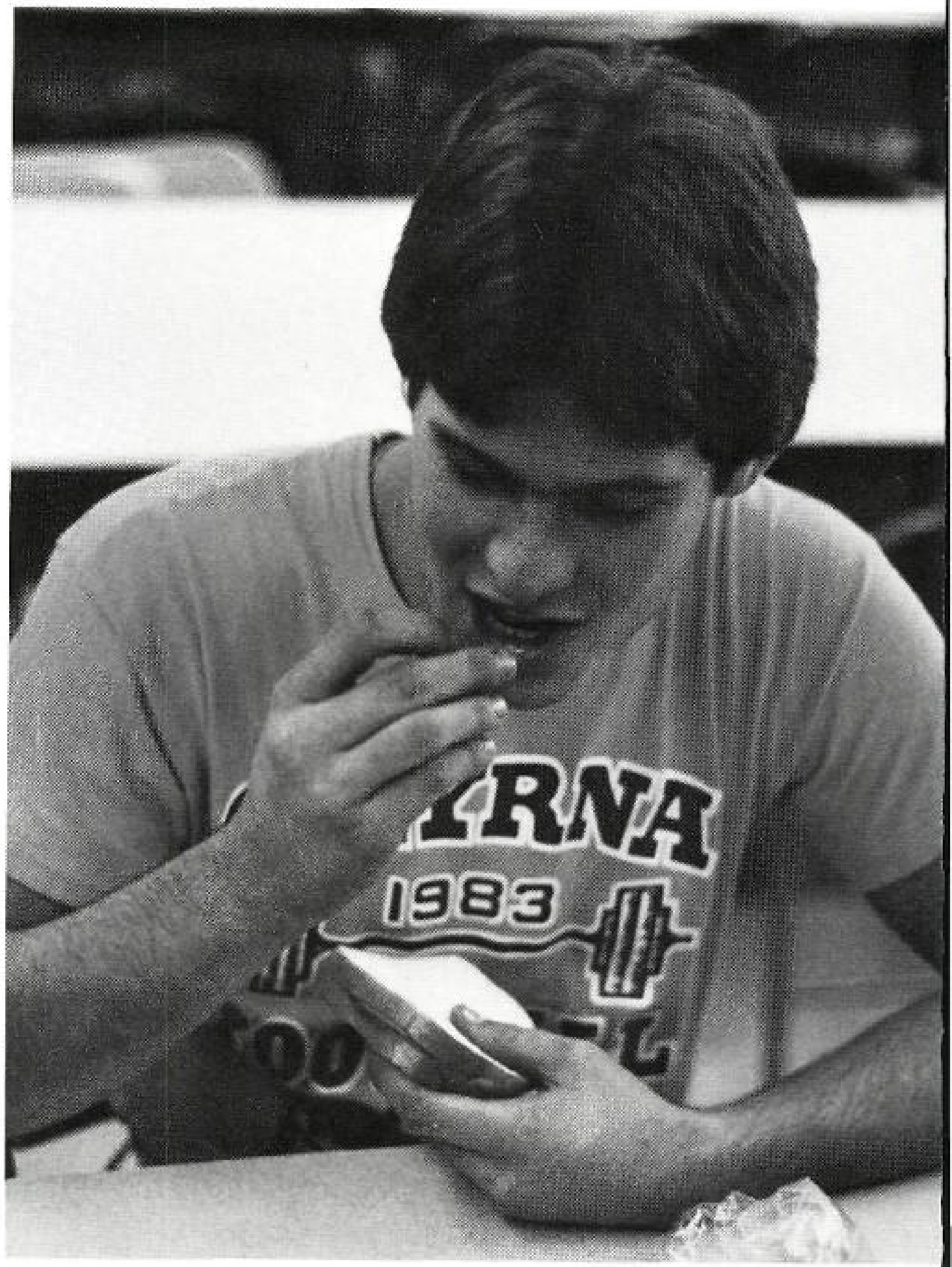
THE VENDING MACHINE MARCH

A Parade Of Food

Smyrna High School's four vending machines offer a wide variety of snacks to our junk food hungry students. This variety includes potato chips, cookies, crackers, and soft drinks. The length of the lines at these machines is greatest during the lunch period, but many students sneak quick snacks in between classes. With a little spare change and the push of a button, a student's growling stomach can be filled and his thirst quenched.

The school snack bar also offers the students many food items to munch on. In addition to cookies, students may purchase ice cream, cakes, sandwiches, and fruit drinks at the snack bar. While consuming their junk food and sugary snacks, students stand or lean in the halls talking and laughing with their friends during their lunch period.

These favorite snacks of S.H.S. students may have no nutritional value whatsoever, but they do give the students enough energy to make it through the remainder of their classes.



Time to Munch. *Lunch time is a favorite time for all S.H.S. students. The students use this time to eat as well as to visit with their friends. Baker Raborn seems to be enjoying his lunch while taking a moment to relax.*

ROOF COLLAPSES

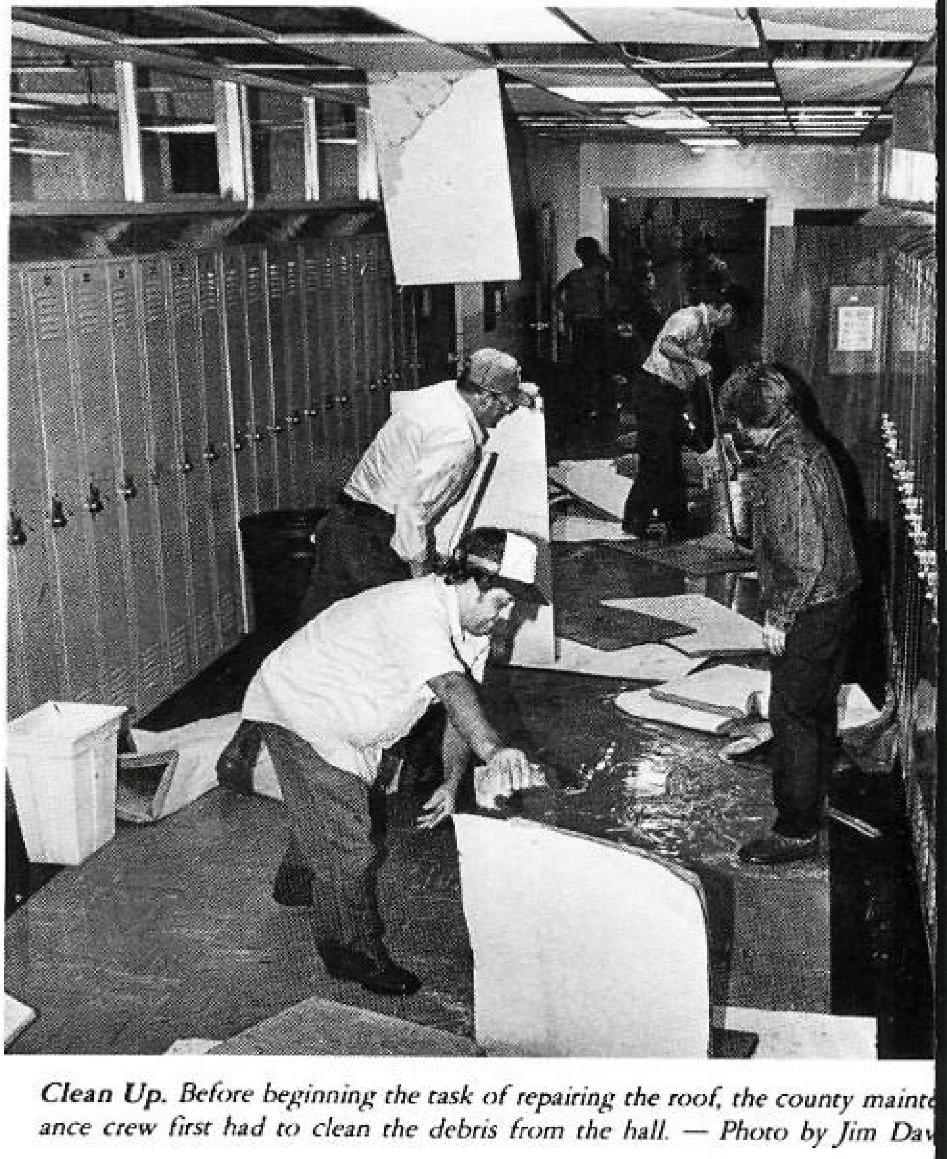
When It Rains, It Pours

ENGLISH SHA
YOU UP
GET A GRIP
ON GRAMMA

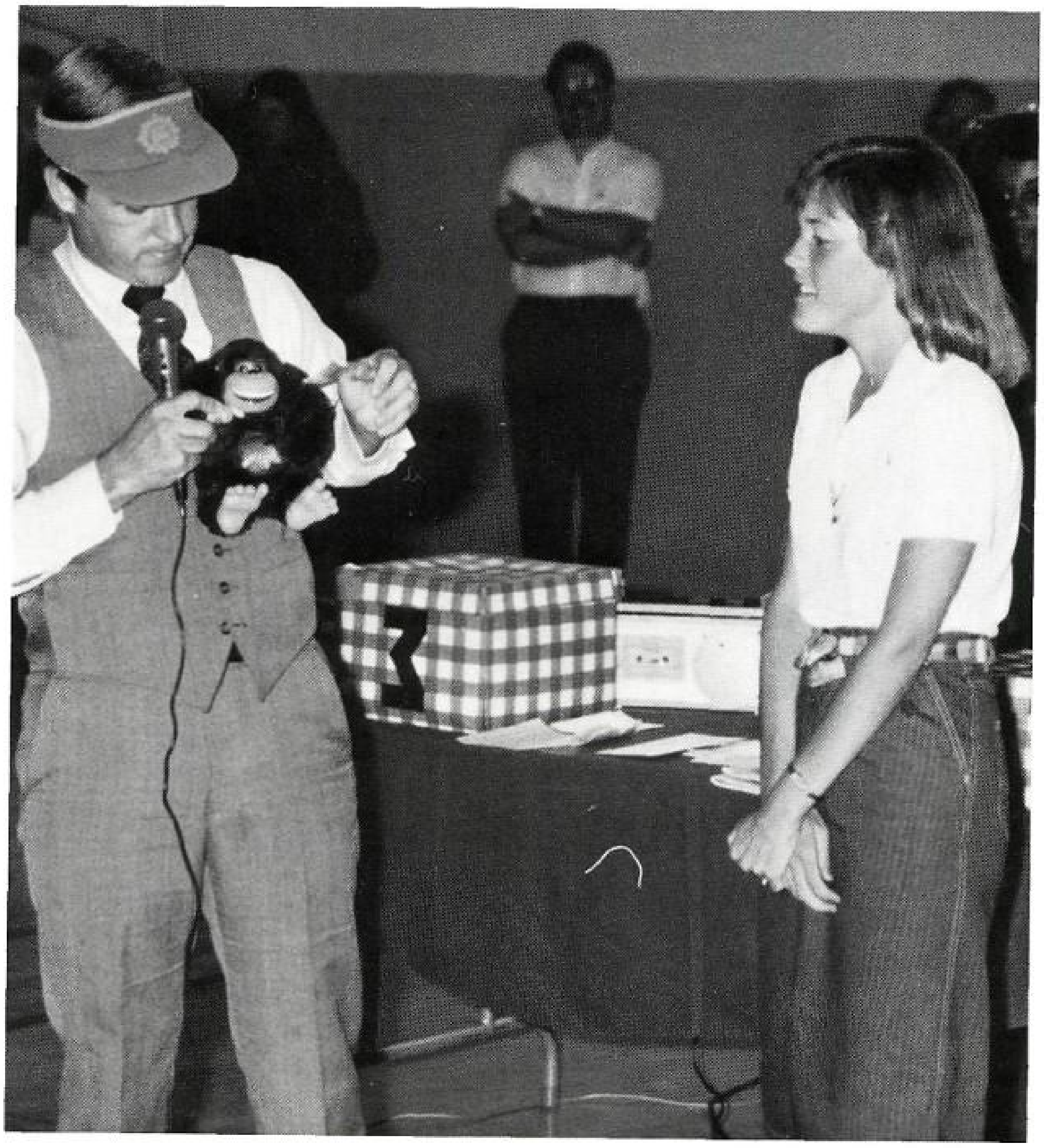
On Wednesday October 14, 1983, after the students had left S.H.S., heavy rains caused the roof which had been under repair to collapse. The rainwater flooded almost half the school, causing an estimated $60,000 in damage. A majority of the flooding was limited to the two rest rooms, the main hall, and six classrooms.

School was closed the following Thursday in order for the cleanup crews to patch up the roof, mop up several hundred gallons of water, and move furniture, supplies, and textbooks from the flooded classrooms. Many teachers and janitors assisted in this project. School was resumed on Monday with final repairs being made.

Lending a Hand. *Helping with the evacuation of desks and books from flooded classrooms, Mr. Shipp dumps the water from the desk to the floor which has yet to be mopped. — Photo by Jim Davis.*



Clean Up. *Before beginning the task of repairing the roof, the county maint ance crew first had to clean the debris from the hall. — Photo by Jim Da*



MAG MANIA

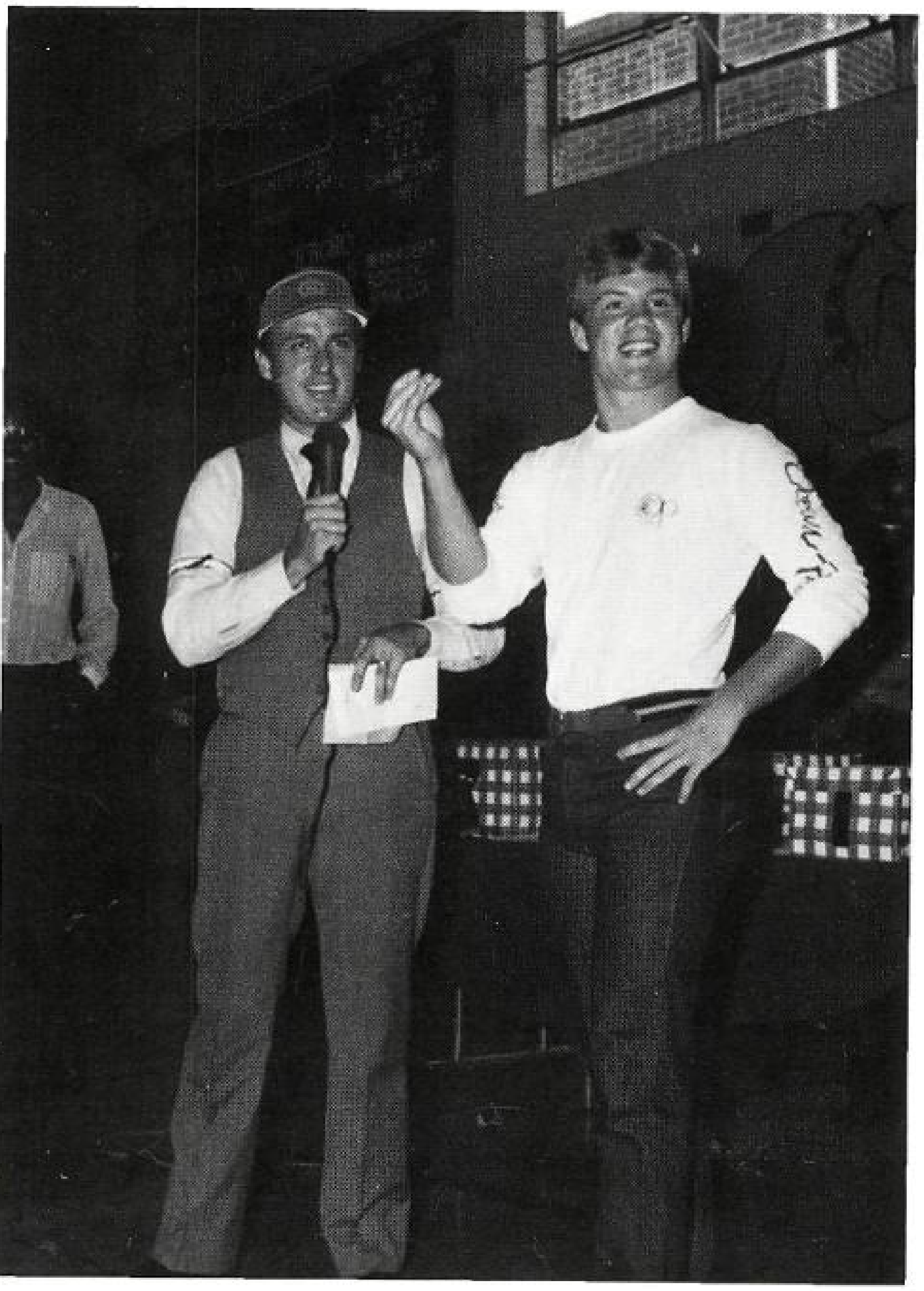
— Magazine Sell-A-Thon —

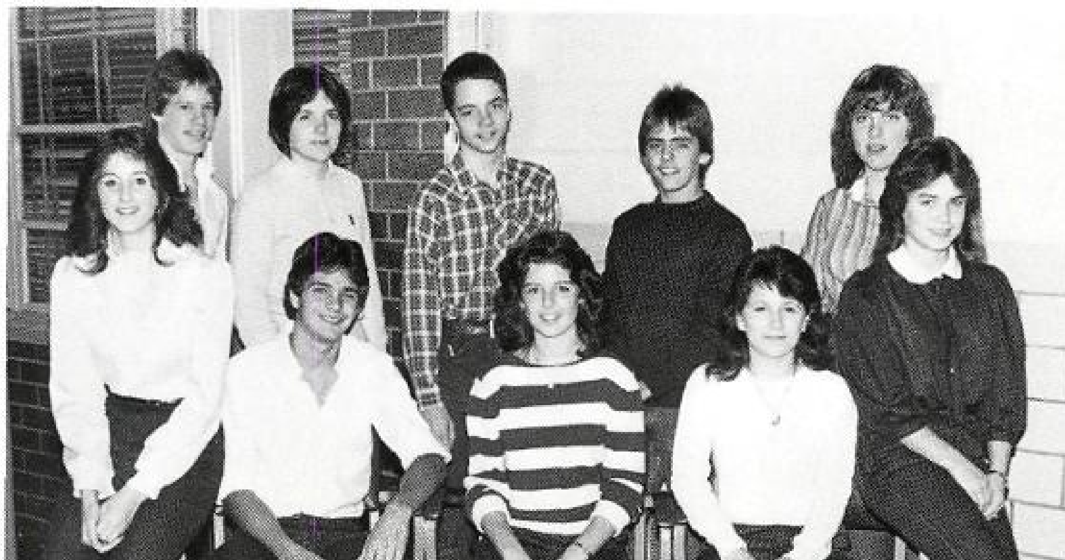
Every September the Smyrna High School students file into the gymnasium for the annual magazine drive. This year the assembly was hosted by Sunland Plans.

The assembly in the gymnasium involved a fun-filled hour of antics in which the students won money and prizes as well as learned about the magazine drive itself. A game of ***Let's Make A Deal*** *was played. Students from different classes were chosen at random to participate in the game. They were asked to choose a box or an envelope in which a prize or a prank may exist. Whether the students won or lost, the student body, as a whole, enjoyed the activities.*

Besides participating in ***Let's Make A Deal,*** *the students learned how to fill out the order forms and began thinking about prospective customers. They knew that the more subscriptions they sold, the greater chance they had at winning prizes.*

A Monkey Instead of Money. *With an undecided look on her face, Kelly Ferrell seems unsure about her gag prize.*
Big Bucks. *With the visions of all that money in his head, Robert Carillon asks the students whether he should take the envelope or the box.*
Winners. *The top ten magazine winners are as follows:* ***sitting:*** *Cari Williams, Doug Loux, Sandi Johns, Diane Anderson, Mary Elizabeth Crosslin, and* ***standing:*** *Jeff Edwards, Kathy Raleigh, Darrell LuAllen, Jimmy Reed, Dena Gurley.*





Throughout the drive, various prizes were presented and privileges granted to students who met required sales. Class mugs, a half day out of school, tee shirts, and painters' hats were just a few of the prizes. For all students who sold five magazines or more, a magazine holiday from school was granted.

During the entire drive, the classes competed against each other to see which class could bring in the most money for subscriptions. Mrs. Smith's senior homeroom was the top sales homeroom. Sandi Johns, the overall top salesperson, won a total of $450. In addition to the class winner, those individuals who were high salespersons were announced and rewarded percentages of the sales for their efforts. These winners were announced at a second assembly held only for those who participated in the drive. At this assembly, a concert was given by the Young Blades of Bluegrass.

COMPUTER CRAZIES

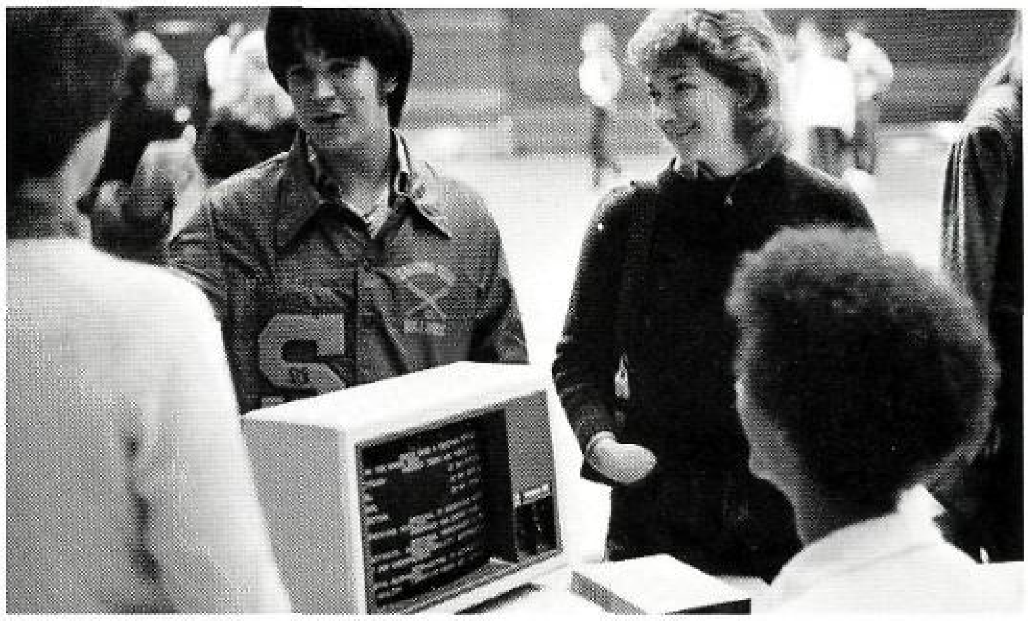
An Electronic Elective

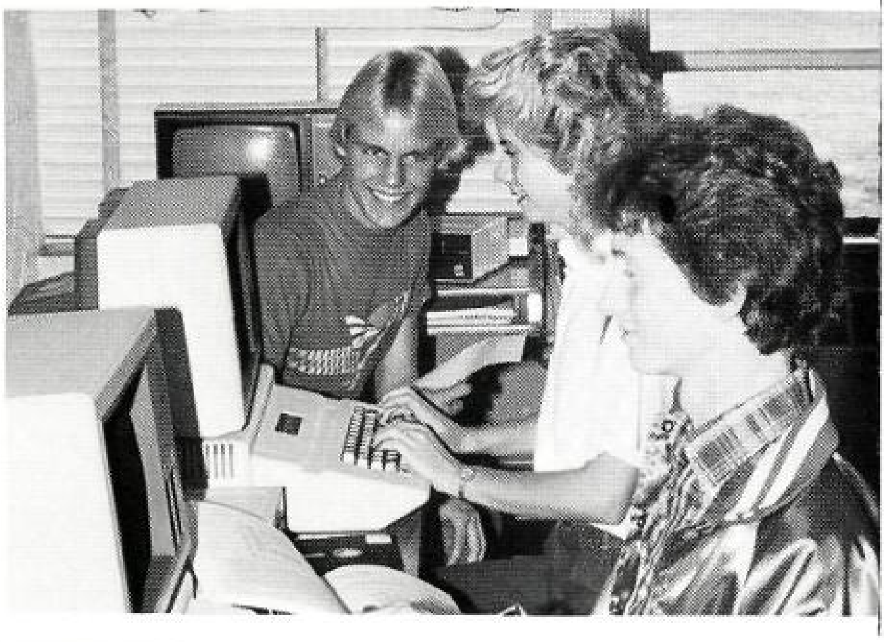
One source of entertainment for Smyrna High School students is the arcade. The arcade provides an opportunity for students to try their skill at various computer games. Pac-man, Donkey Kong, Pitfall, and Frogger are a few of the most popular video games.

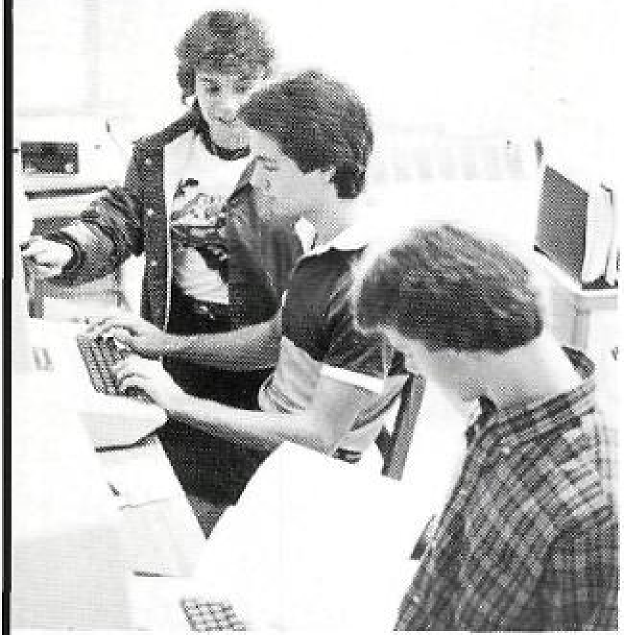
However, entertainment is not the only use students have for computers. The computer is a part of everyday life. Many jobs have been both created and abolished by this inanimate machine. The computer can perform many routine and complex tasks that were once accomplished by people.

Because the computer is such an integral part of our developing world, it is finding its place at Smyrna High School, primarily in the form of courses teaching the use of the computer. The school now possesses four Apple computers, and the demand for the computer courses has increased steadily since its beginning. One of the courses offered is computer math taught by Mrs. Nancy Keese. Mrs. Keese teaches her two computer math classes Basic, which is one of the computer languages, and the fundamentals of how to program a computer.

Many students are interested in careers associated with computers. Some of the areas of work in the field of computers are analyzing, data processing, and programming. Due to their overwhelming success and popularity, the fact that computers would become a part of a student's education as well as his entertainment was inevitable.







Using Only Two Fingers. *Michael Williams enjoys playing a video game on one of the computers during Homecoming week.*

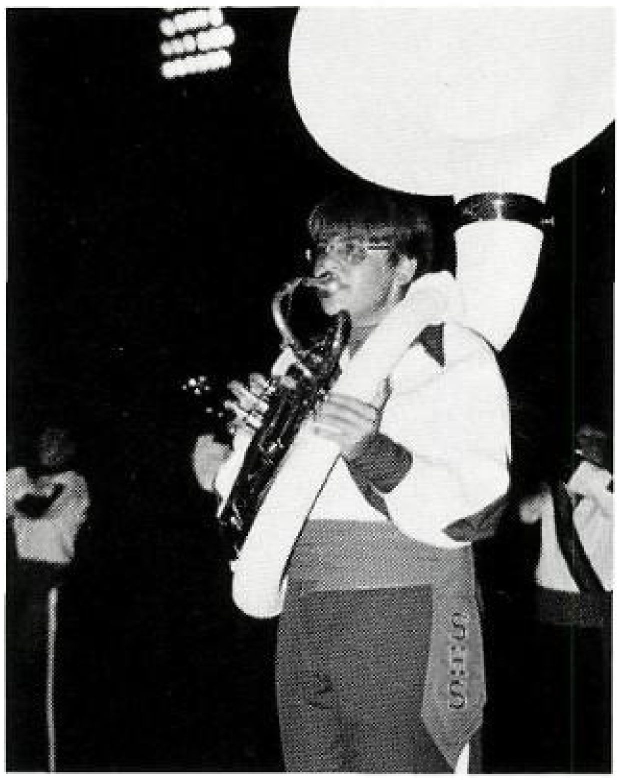
Having Fun While Learning. *Sam Tucker jokes with Tammy Brackney and Terry Smith while they enter their programs on the computer.*

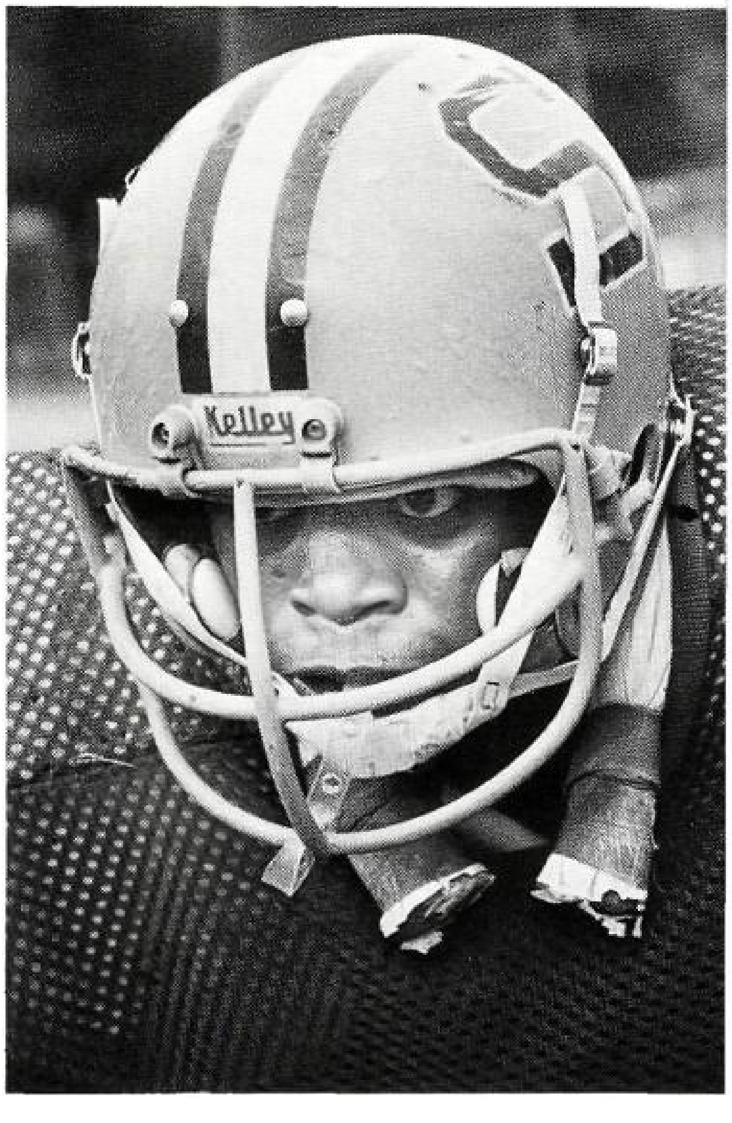
Biorhythms Anyone? *Melanie Mingle and Don Johnson wait patiently as Barry Cartwright runs a thirty-day biorhythm program for them.*

Working Hard. *Brad Miller works diligently on his computer assignment while Debbie Moore assists Jeff Key. Since students are allowed to work on the computers for only 15 minutes during class, time has to be used to its best advantage.*

PURPLE POWER

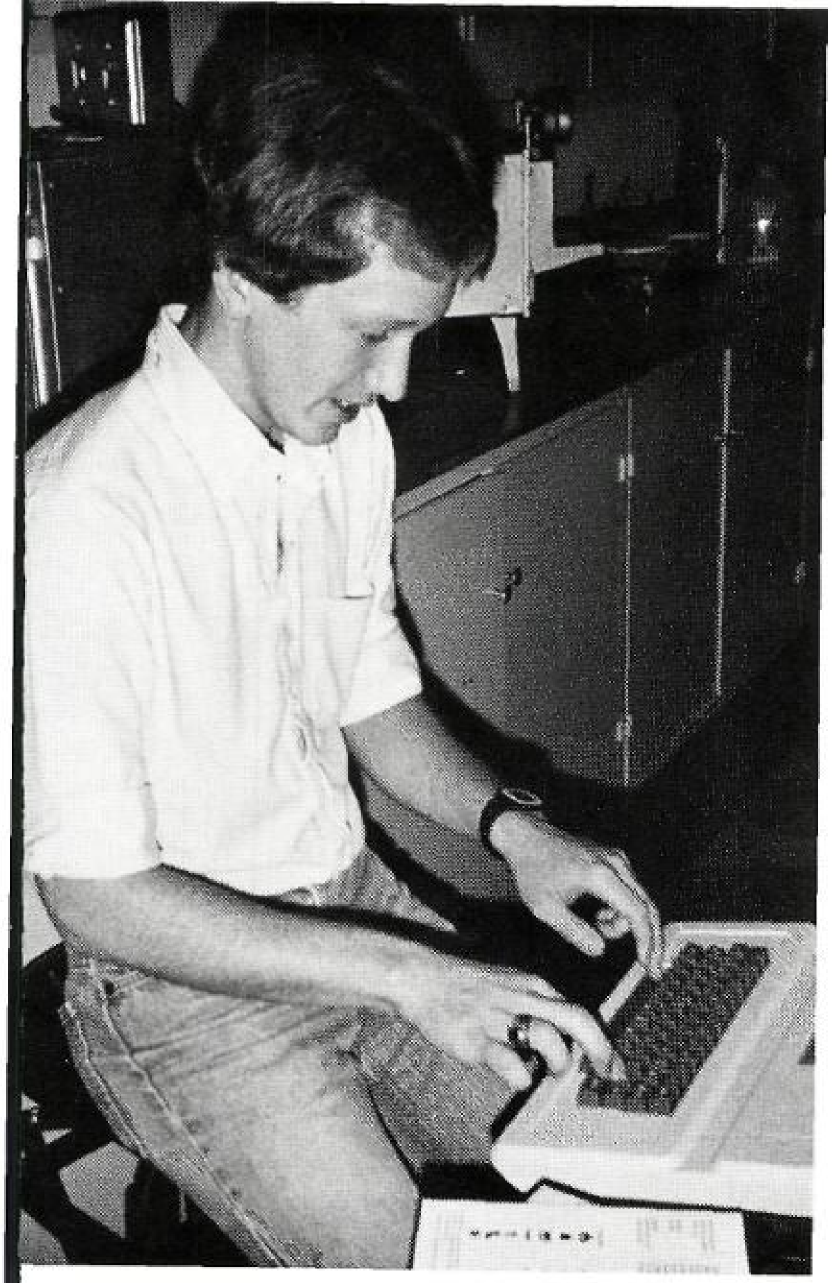
We've Got Spirit

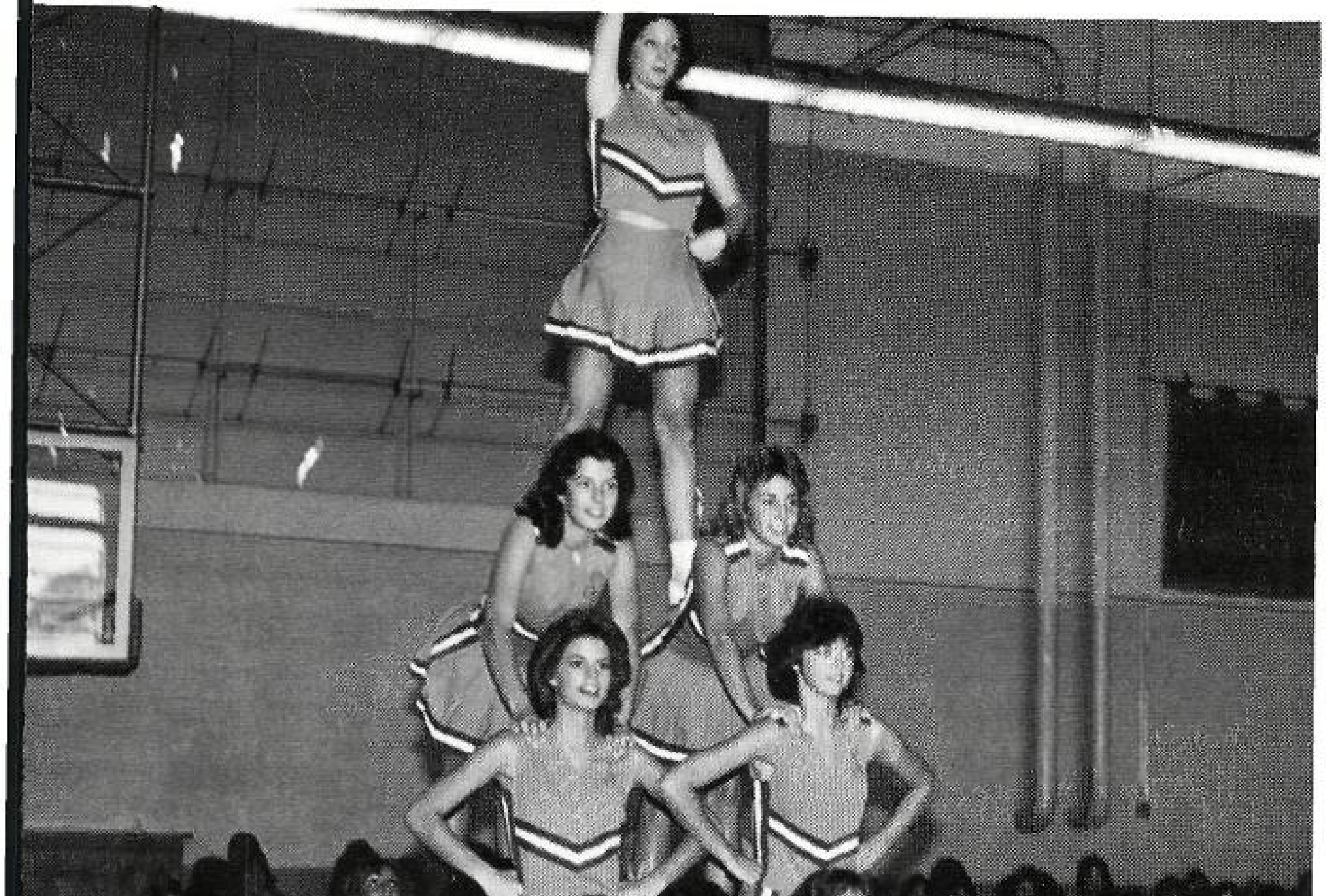




Playing for the Crowd. *George Anderson is only one of the very talented players on the Smyrna High School marching band who enjoys playing for the crowd during halftime.*

A Senior with a Stare. *Isiah Kelley concentrates on the opposing player during an after school scrimmage. — Photo by Jim Davis.*





Smyrna High School students show their pride in the school and purple and gold spirit in many ways. Popular clothing items include shirts, jackets, and caps displaying our bulldog mascot. Stickers, ribbons, and pins sold by the bookstore can be seen all over the school.

Cheering is another show of affection for our school and its various teams. The cheerleaders and fans play a vital role in helping to promote school spirit. They cheer the team on regardless of the chances of defeat. Cheerleaders also construct posters and banners that are hung in the halls and locker rooms.

Becoming involved is also a part of school spirit. This means participation in one's classes and in the various clubs and organizations available at S.H.S.

It cannot be said that Smyrna High School suffers from a lack of school spirit and pride. Our students are not ashamed to display their purple power. School spirit will always live at S.H.S.

"We've got spirit, yes we do, we've got spirit . . ."

Have you got spirit? *Smyrna High students show how spirited they really are at the first pep rally for the bulldogs.*

Up in the air. *The Smyrna High School cheerleaders are up in the air again, raising spirit for that night's game.*

FRIENDS

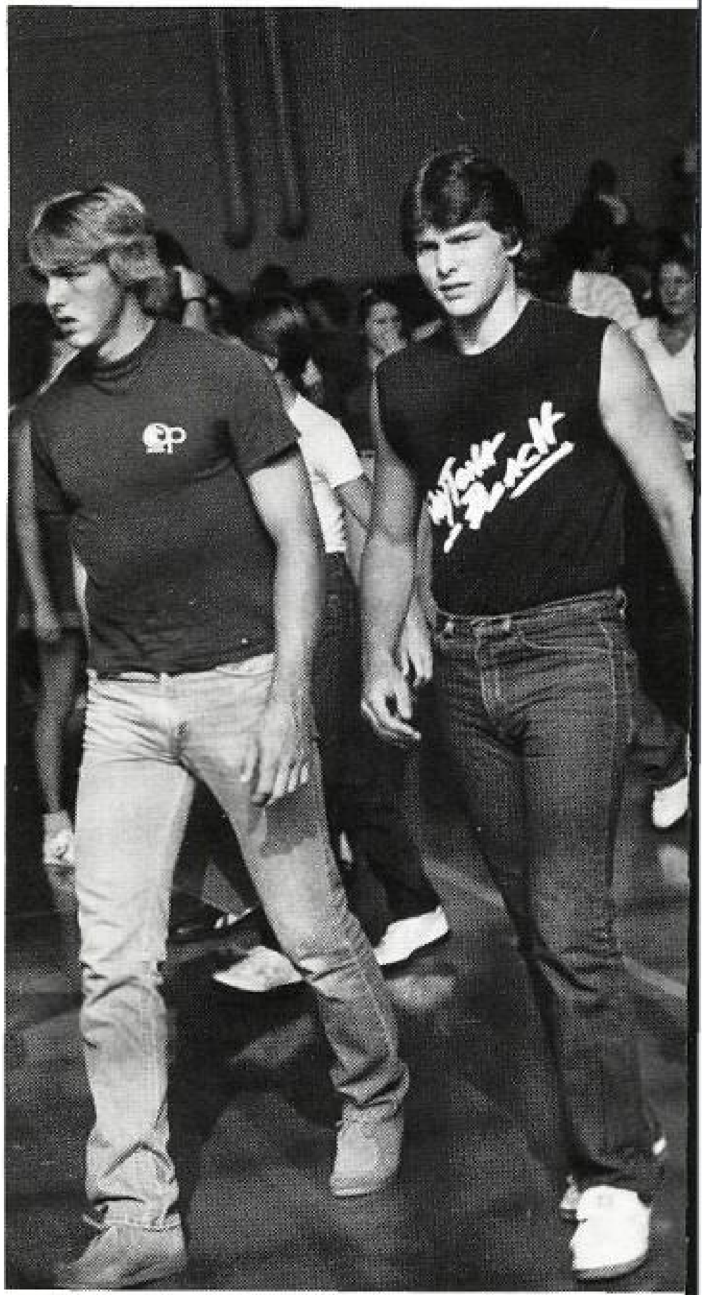
Memories To Last A Lifetime

Throughout the school year at Smyrna High School, we have grown even closer to some of our old friends and made many new ones. With new classes and different faces, we have the opportunity to widen our relationships with people. Constantly we are making friends and learning new things about people — and life.

The closeness of friends is one of the most special aspects of S.H.S. We have shared many experiences that will always be treasured as part of our fondest memories. We have pulled each other through the difficult times and shared the fun times that school has to offer.

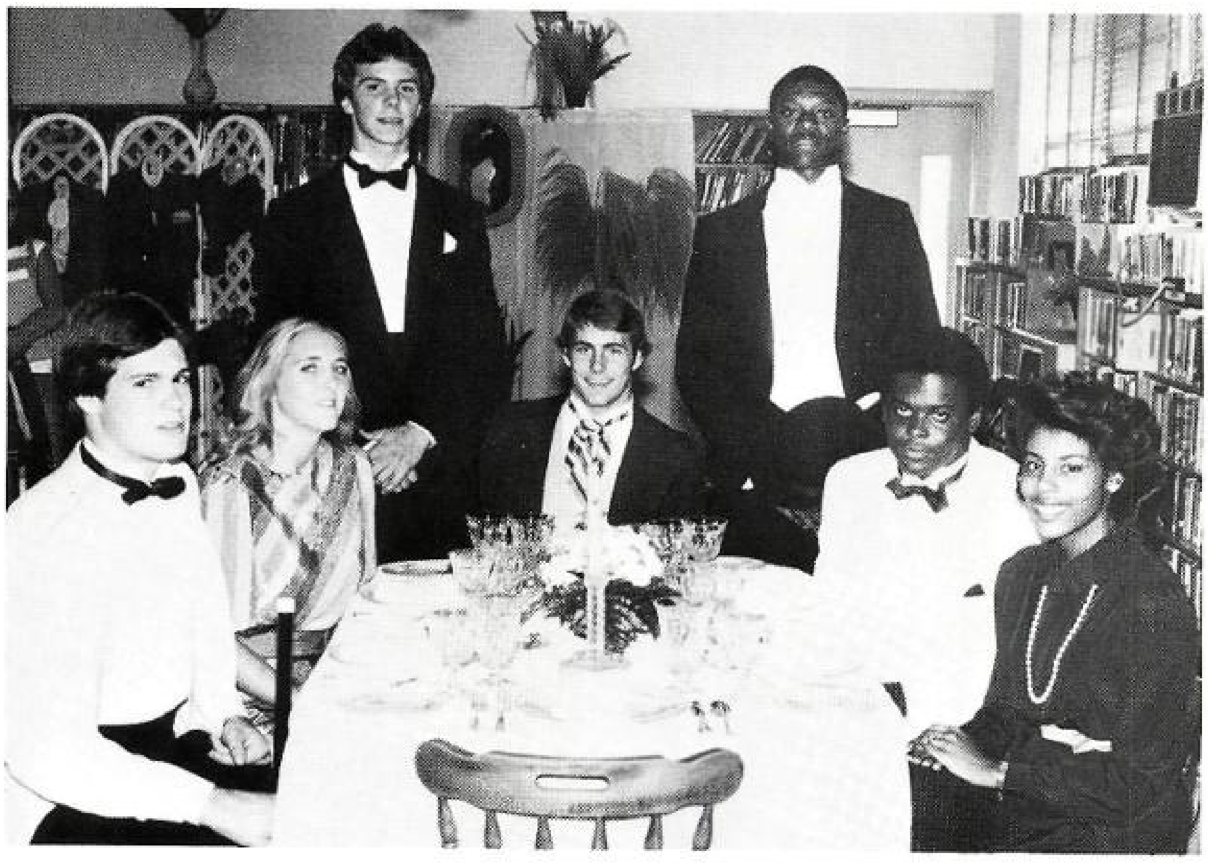
As the year draws to a close, we reflect on years past and the friends we have made. The friends and memories that are made during the three years students spend at Smyrna High School will be remembered in the hearts of these students long after they have graduated because true friends are never forgotten — friends are **Twenty-Four Carat Gold.**

Senior Spirit. *Showing their usual school and senior class spirit, these seniors cheer enthusiastically at a pep rally.*

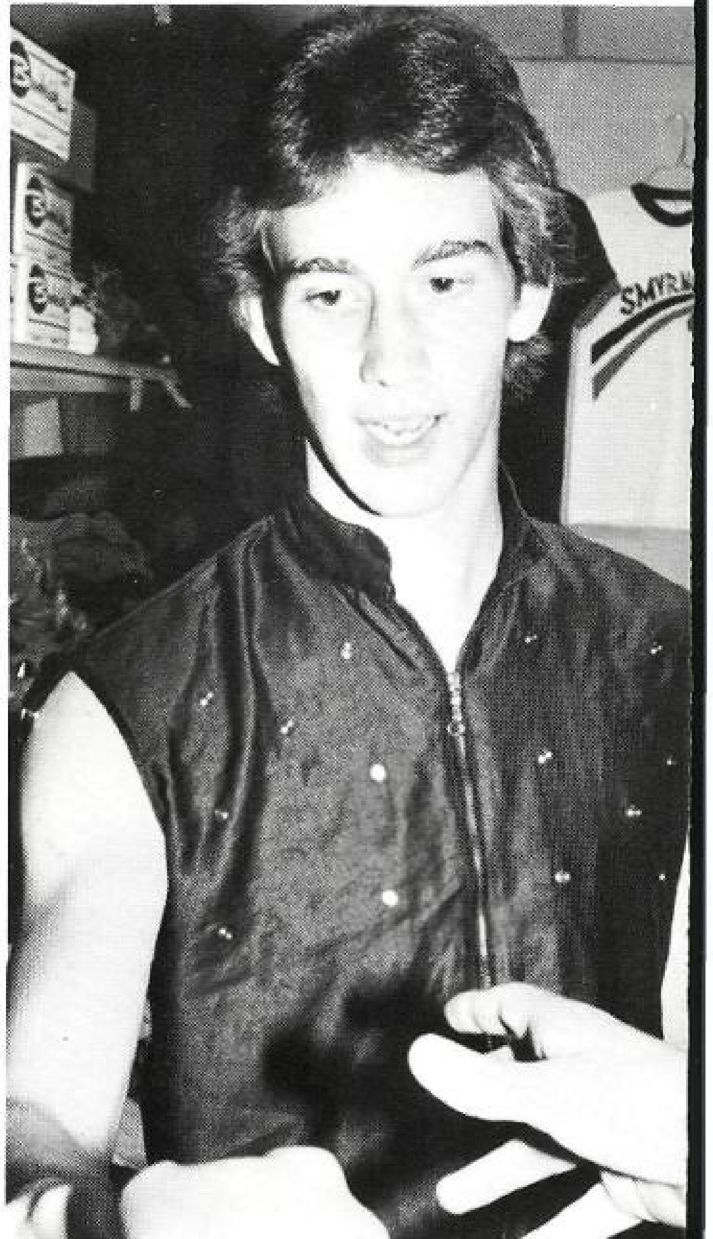


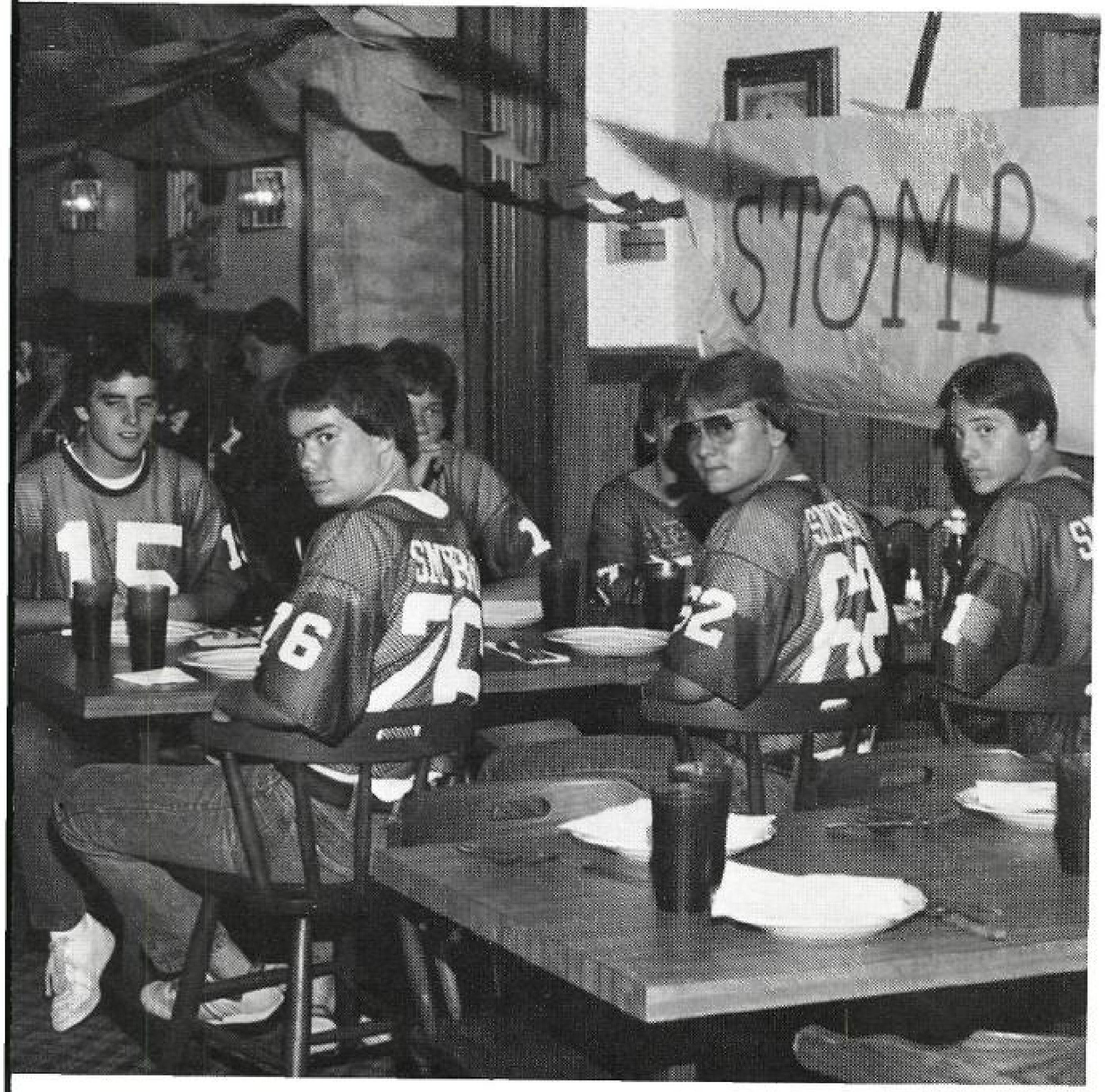
NEW WAVE OF THE 80'S

Fad Or Fashion?



Formal Fashions. *Modeling these fashionable formals, these S.H.S. students — Baker Raborn, Regina Waddey, Brad Miller, Mitch Freeman, Isiah Kelley, Bucky Smart, and Antoinette Cannon — set an example of etiquette at a school fashion show sponsored by the library.*





Back to Class. *While leaving the gymnasium after a pep rally, Ken Thomas and Dwayne Tucker seem "overjoyed" at the thought of their next class.*

Dinner at Bonanza. *Groups of friends on the football team sit together and enjoy a good meal during a pre-game dinner at Bonanza.*

Proud Moment. *Showing their excitement and pride after their victory at camp, the S.H.S. cheerleaders give the cameras a big smile.*

Action in the Bookstore. *One of the many duties of Miller's Men is to manage the bookstore. Usually the boys are kept very busy before school, during lunch, and between classes. However, Jon Hundnall shows that working in the bookstore can also be fun. Baker Raborn, Tracey Howse, Mark Pickel, and Mark Jones participate in Jon's antics.*

There is a new craze that has swept the country
nown as New Wave, Punk Rock, or the Punk
ene. New Wave is a breed of music, clothes,
irstyles, and dialogue. Although originating in
ngland, Punk Rock is in full swing all over the
S., and Smyrna High School is no exception.

Clothing associated with the New Wave
ovement includes short punk shirts, colorful
ghts, short suede or leather boots, bandanas,
eeveless tee shirts, jumpsuits resembling space
tfits, shirts with triangular shaped buttons and
signs, colorful earrings, and rock buttons. Pop-
ar punk colors are red, white, black, and hot
nk. Fashionable hairstyles are short in length
ith the hair on the top of one's head standing up
mid-air. Punk Rock music has an upbeat
ythm, is easy to dance to, and is full of energy.

Some of the most popular New Wave groups are the B-52's, a Flock of Seagulls, Duran Duran, the Talking Heads, the Clash, the Ramones, and Public Image Limited. S.H.S. holds a day of dedication to the world of punk fun on "Punk Rock Day". On this day, students are often seen in blue, green, red, or gold streaked hair and dressed in the wildest hair and dressed in the wildest array of clothing.

One often wonders if New Wave is just a passing fad or if it will become a stable fashion. When questioned on this topic, Angie Harris, responded, "New Wave is not only music and fashion — it is an attitude. New Wave will be celebrated and discarded just as all other trends are. New Wave will, however, leave its impression on those most devout punk rockers."

Everyday New Wave. *As Jon Hudnall exemplifies, punk shirts such as this black, sleeveless tee are not an unusual sight at S.H.S.*

All Punked Out. *With his wild hair and make-up, Michael Williams portrays a real punk rocker.*

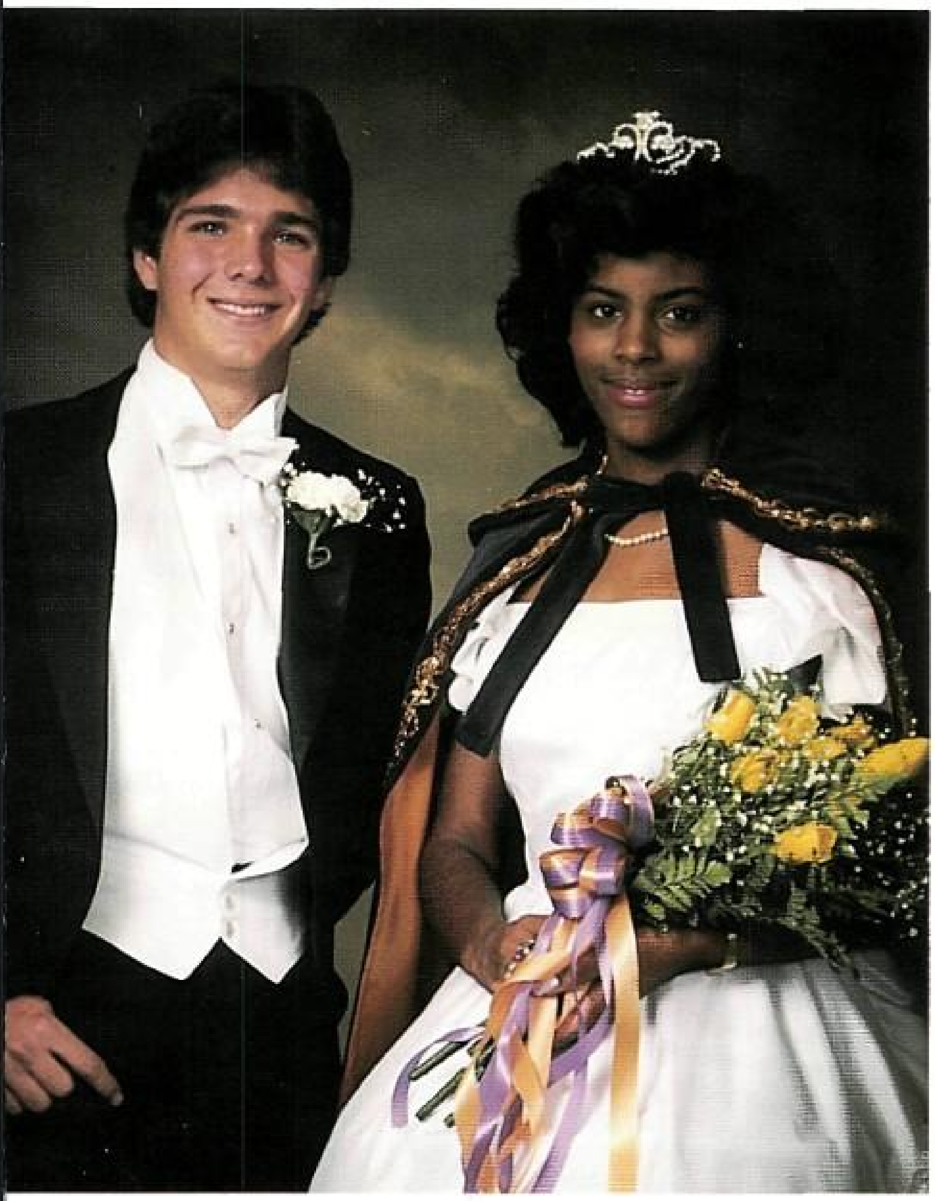
1983 HOMECOMING QUEEN

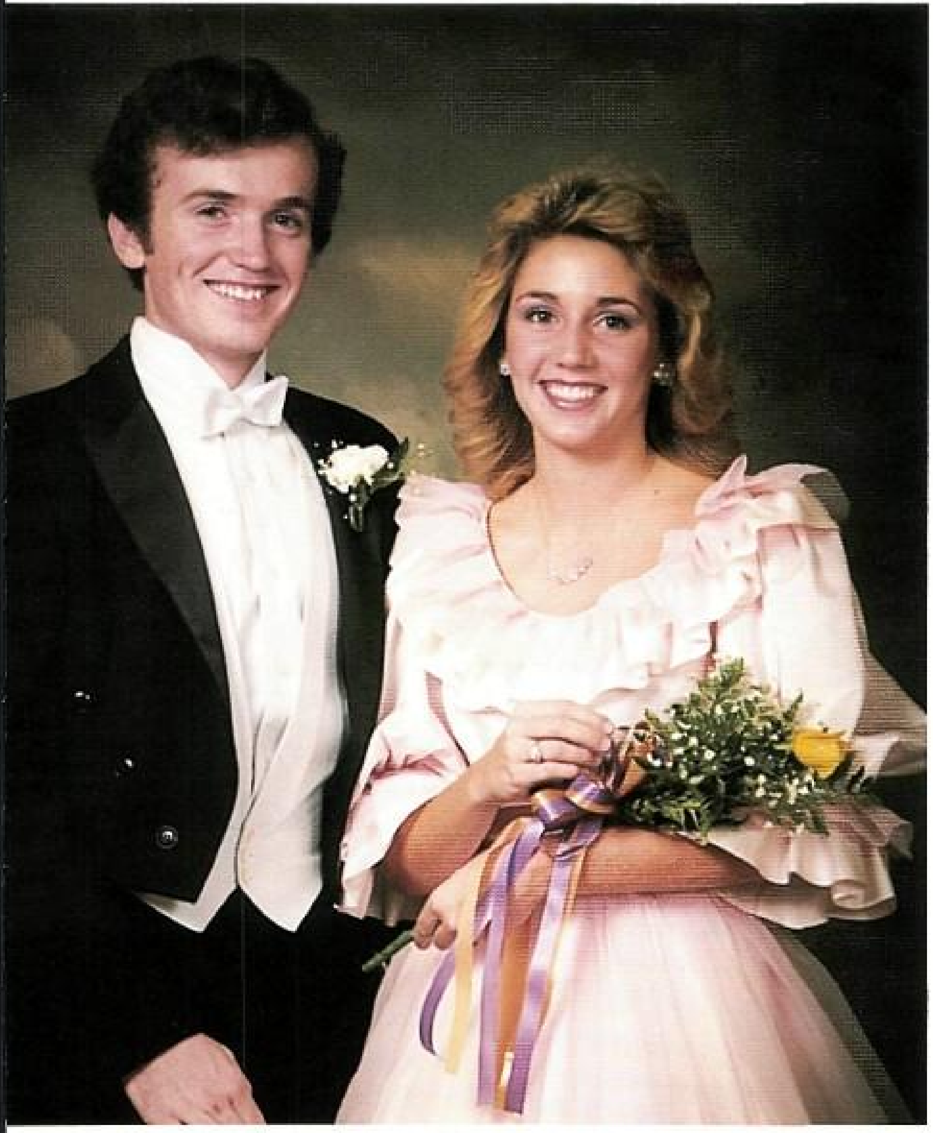
On the evening of October 28, 1983, a beautiful young lady dressed in a white taffeta evening gown slowly made her way across the Smyrna High School football field with her escort, Student Council President Doug Loux. While the band played the stirring "Tara's Theme," parents and friends watched as the 1983-84 Homecoming Queen was crowned.

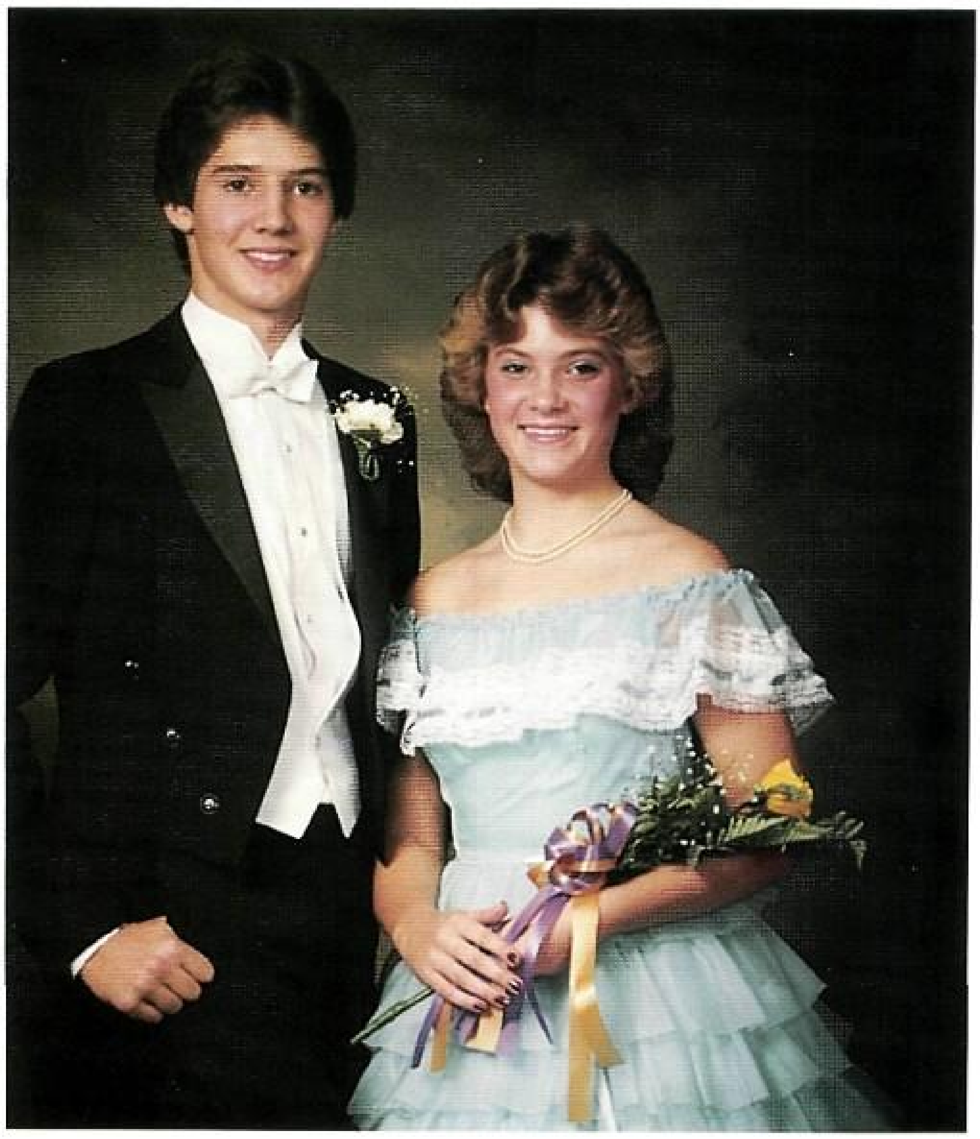
The young lady, Miss Antoinette Cannon, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Graton Cannon, Jr., is a cheerleader captain and has been very active in many clubs and organizations at Smyrna High School. "I felt very proud, and I thought that I had to do my best to represent the school and my family," Antoinette said. Antoinette, who plans to become a Certified Public Accountant, said that she was unaccustomed to the tremendous publicity she received after being elected Queen. "When I finally heard the announcer say, 'Presenting the 1983-84 Smyrna High School Homecoming Queen, Miss Antoinette Cannon,' I was so proud I couldn't help from crying."

MISS ANTOINETTE CANNON

THE QUEEN AND HER COURT







1983 Homecoming Queen and Escort. *Antoinette Cannon and Student Council President Doug Loux.*

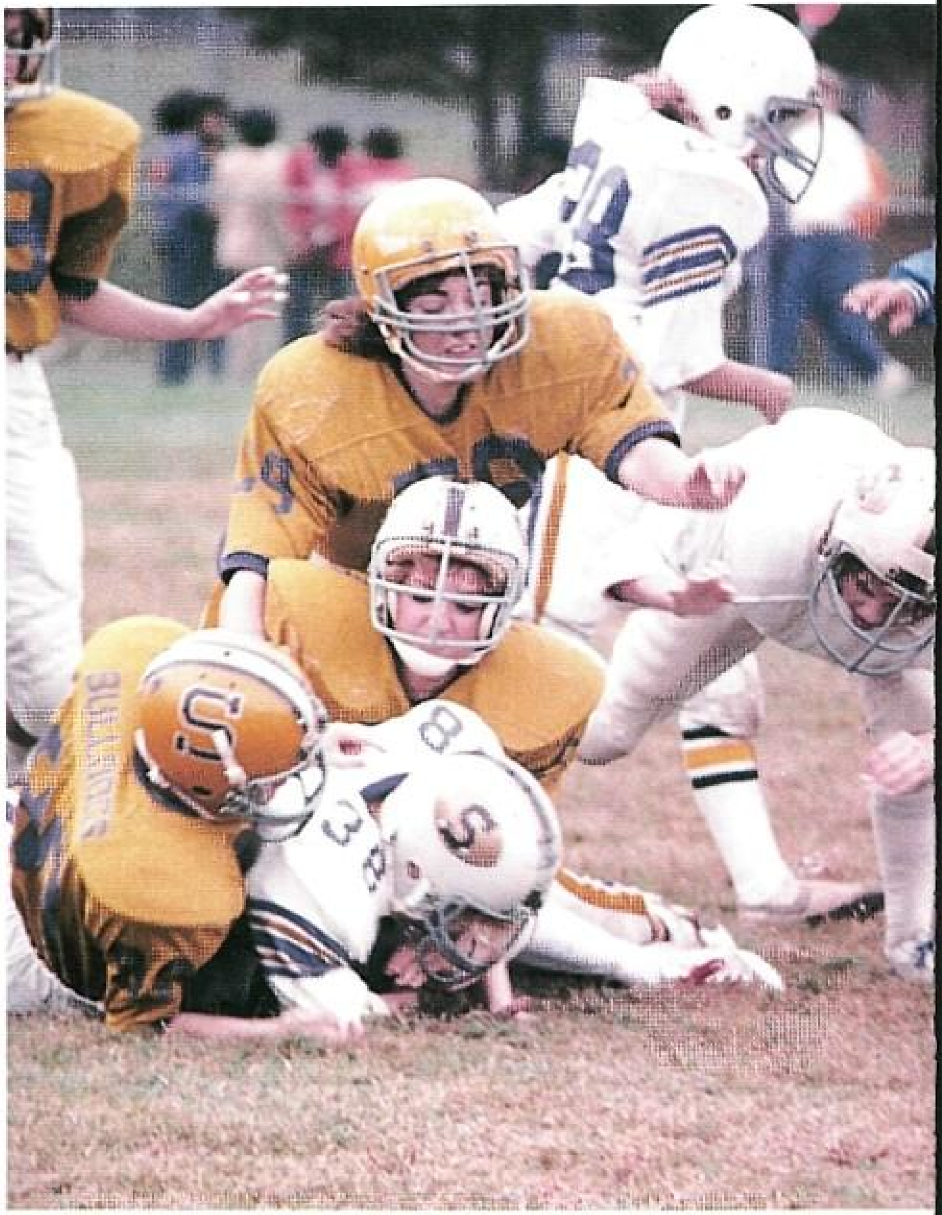
Junior Attendant and Escort. *Julie Adcock and Junior Class President Glenn Garner.*

Senior Attendant and Escort. *Tracey Epps and Senior Class President Barry Cartwright.*

Sophomore Attendant and Escort. *Monica Scott and Sophomore Class Sergeant at Arms Lee Frank.*

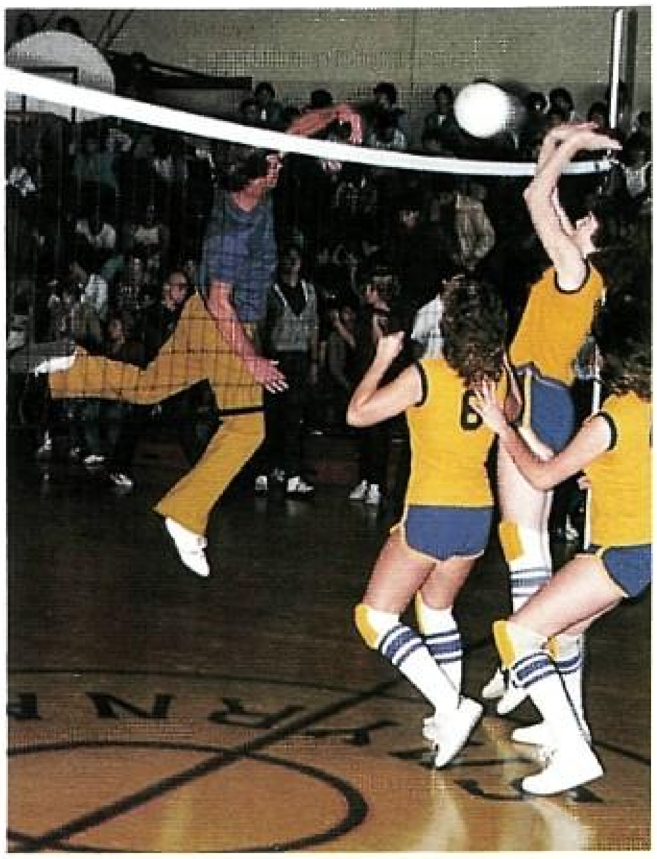
A TIME OF CELEBRATION

Five Days of Fun, Tears, And Memories



Talent in the Crowd. *Proud of their school and not afraid to show their enthusiasm, these S.H.S. students build a spirit raising pyramid in the stands during Homecoming week.*

Powder Puff Powerhouses. *After several days of practicing after school, these junior and senior Beta Club members finally get to tackle someone other than their own team members during the long awaited powder puff football game.*



An Awsome Spike. *During the Homecoming week, the girls' volleyball team played the faculty in a game of volleyball. Here, Coach Mullins powerfully spikes the ball over the net.*

A Dedicated Worker. *Making a float for the Homecoming parade is an annual activity for many students. Angel Estes shows her school and senior class devotion here by diligently stuffing the senior float.*

Homecoming week is a special and exciting time at Smyrna High School. During this week, all students have the privilege of participating in many different activities. Fundraising events are held by different clubs and organizations.

On a rainy, cold Monday, October 24, Beta Club held a powder puff football game. Students were dismissed from first period in order to watch this game between senior Beta girls and junior Beta girls. This year the juniors unexpectedly won the game. On Tuesday during second period, a carnival of events and a tug-of-war were held. Some of the events held at the carnival were a rifle shoot, baseball throw, shaving cream fight, bean bag toss, computer games, and the sale of biorhythm charts. These events were held both outside and in the gym due to the wet and rainy weather.

Wednesday was concert tee shirt day, and a pep rally was held during third period. A hot legs contest was held with contestants being senior Mike Reese, junior Mike Hosford, and sophomore Keith Story. Mike Hosford was crowned the winner of this contest. After the contest, the students enjoyed a volleyball game between the district champion girls' volleyball team and various members of S.H.S. faculty. The girls won a close victory. Thursday was Asbestos Day and was sponsored by the Student Council. Students were encouraged to wear surgical masks and nurses' and doctors' uniforms.

As the week came to a close, the sun began to peek from behind the dreary clouds, and students looked forward to a great day for the parade and Homecoming game.

Rifle Shoot. *Matthew Hetman aims very carefully at the target in hopes that he will win one of the big prizes during the Homecoming week carnival. The rifle shoot was sponsored by the R.O.T.C.*

Nice Throw. *Another activity enjoyed by all students during carnival day was the bean bag toss sponsored by FHA. Here Rod Roberts aims for the target in hopes of winning a prize.*

rowning the King. *One of the highlights of the Homecoming*
p rally was an S.H.S. first — the Mr. Hot Legs Contest. The boys
th boxes over their heads paraded around the gym, showing their
gs. Mike Hosford was chosen by the students to have the "Hot-
t" legs. Pictured is Mike Hosford and Homecoming Queen
toinette Cannon as she prepares to escort him around the gym.

Tug-of-War or Shaving Cream Fight? *When playing games, there are winners as well as losers. In this game of tug-of-war, David Miller is obviously the loser as he and Andy Miller continue to throw shaving cream even after the tug-of-war is over.*

Waiting for a Slow Dance. *Tammy Williams and Kent Davis enjoy the Homecoming dance which was sponsored by the Student Council after the ballgame and hosted by Boogie 93.*

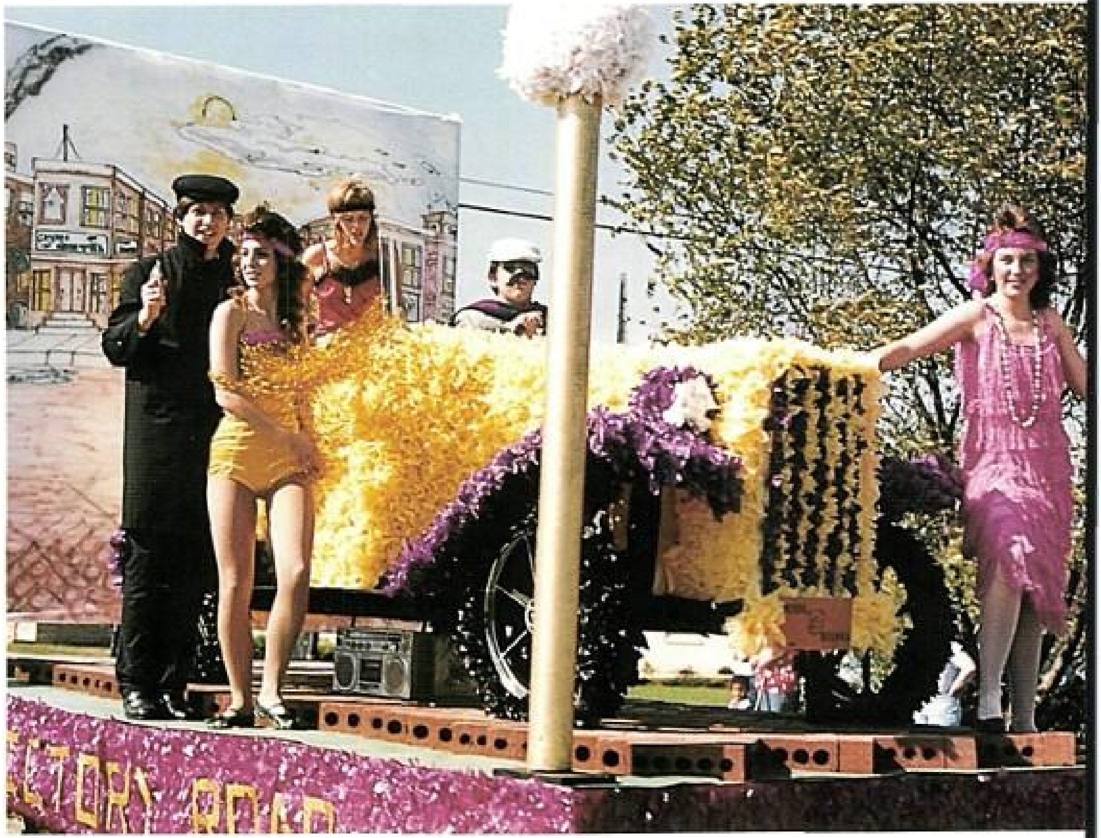
Is It a Car? *With the changing times comes the change in cars. Tracey Baggett and her father proudly display their new and modern electric car in the Homecoming parade.*

1983 Homecoming Queen. *Antoinette Cannon smiles shyly with a touch of sadness in her eyes as she realizes that the climax to a wonderful week is almost over, but she knows the memories will last forever.*

GO! DOGS
BEAT H

Blazing Fire. *On the Thursday night before the Homecoming ballgame against Hendersonville, the cheerleaders, the band, and a host of other Smyrna High students showed their spirit at the bonfire held at Wal-Mart.*

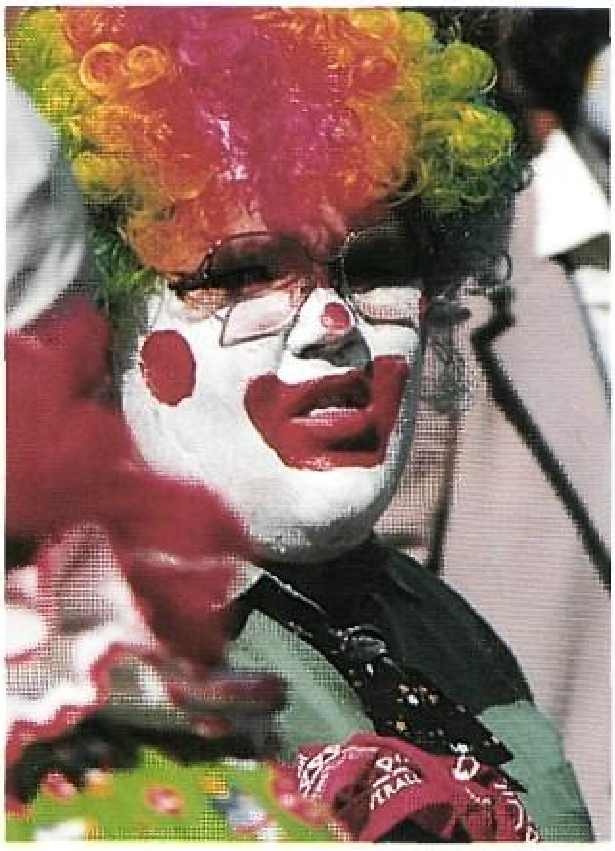
Superior Senior Float. *Yes, the class of "84" won the float contest for the second straight year in a row. This year's theme, "Putting on the Ritz," gave seniors Phil Lewis, Sharon Jones, Bethany Wilson, Kelly Ferrell, and Trevor Rifkin something to Charleston about on their "Road to Victory."*



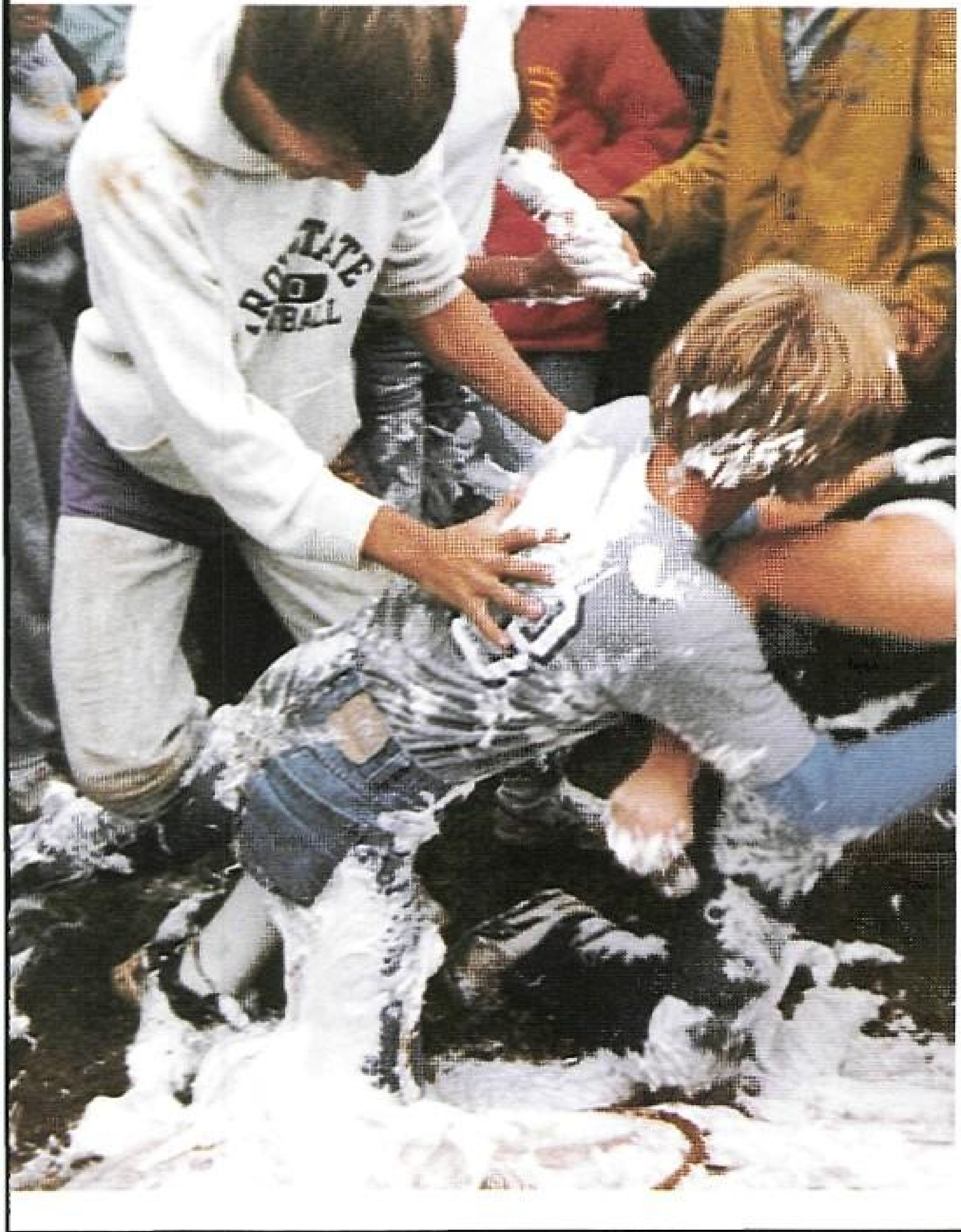
The End to a Festive Week

HOMECOMING CLIMAX

An Honored Young Lady. *Antoinette Cannon, the 1983 Homecoming Queen, enjoys the parade given in her honor. The two young children with her are Katie McAnally, flower girl, and Andy Liles, the crown bearer.*



Colorful Clown. *Deanna Patton is evidently an expert with the clown make-up as she displays her colorful costume during the Homecoming parade on the Friday afternoon before the Homecoming game.*

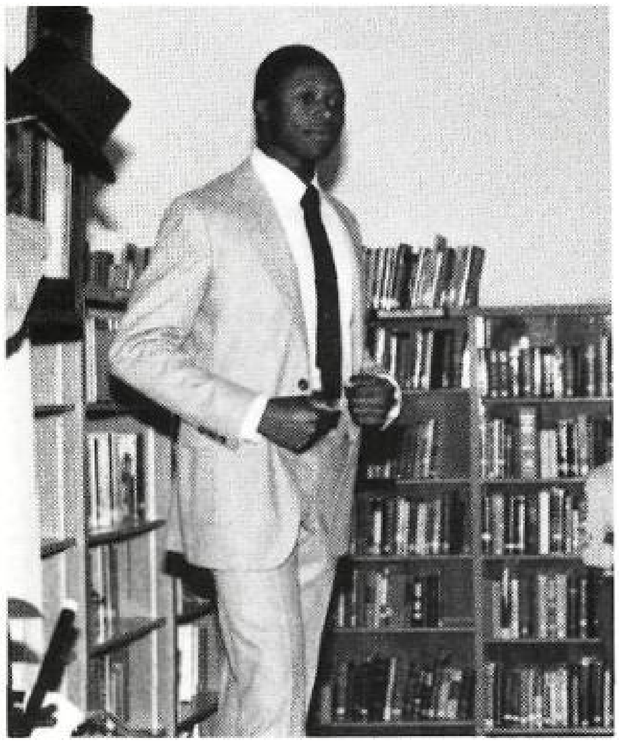


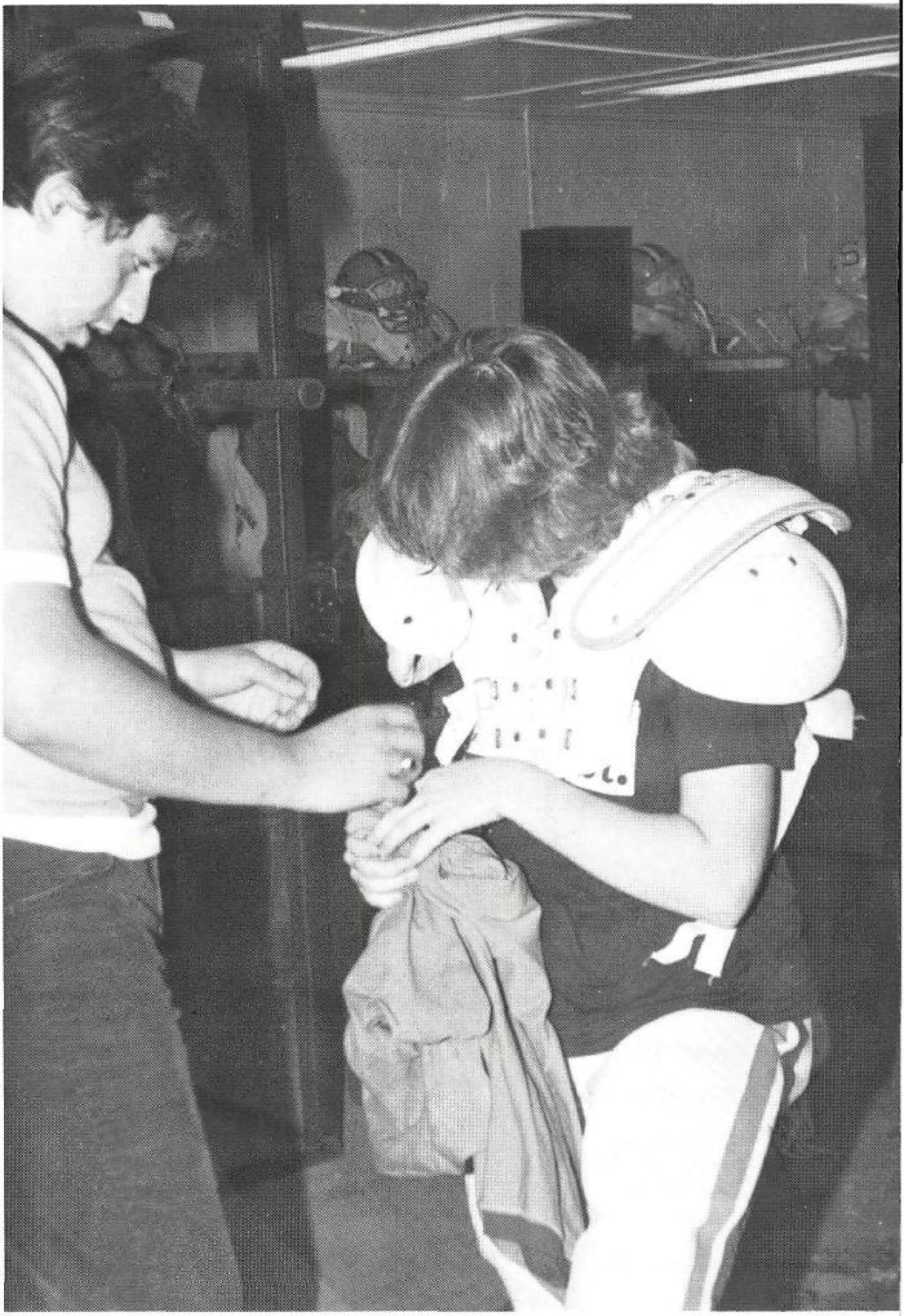
Messy Students. *These students get a little carried away after the tug-of-war during the Homecoming festivities. Just because they were pulled into the shaving cream, they thought that everyone else should be.*

Serious About Their Skills. *In the parade, the Smyrna High School Marching Band shows that they are serious about what they enjoy doing. The marching band spends many hours after school to perfect their formations and to improve their skills. Smyrna High School students can say that they are proud of their fellow band members.*

As Homecoming week drew to an end, .H.S. students began to prepare them- elves for the parade and the big game on riday night. Thursday night a bonfire was eld at Wal-Mart to boost the spirit of the ulldog fans. On Friday, the students were ismissed from school at 11:00. Some stu- ents began to get ready for the parade vhile the Student Council set up the cafete- ia for the Homecoming dance to be hosted y Boogie 93 radio station. The parade, leveloping the theme of "Puttin' on the Ritz," began at 1:00 and consisted of floats, decorated cars, Smyrna High School band, Roy Waldron band, Thurman Francis band, the cheerleaders, and the queen and her court. Many of the cars and floats were decorated by various clubs and organizations. The senior float based on the 1920's won first place. The junior float centered around the 1930's; the sophomore float, around the 1940's.

The climax of the day occurred that magical Homecoming night at the game with the crowning of and presentation of roses to the queen, Antoinette Cannon. The traditional kiss was given by football captain Bucky Smart. The queen's court consisted of senior attendant Tracey Epps, junior attendant Julie Adcock, and sophomore attendant Monica Scott. The escorts — Doug Loux, Barry Cartwright, Glen Garner, and Lee Frank — looked especially handsome this year in their tuxedoes furnished by Mitchell's of Hickory Hollow.





The students of Smyrna High School have the opportunity to become a member of many clubs. Several clubs are academically oriented, and membership is gained by invitation or election only. Others are available for membership by any S.H.S. student.

In addition to academic clubs, we have athletic, musical, leadership, language, occupational and school spirited clubs. Clubs participate in various activities such as community services, fund raisers, field trips, and contests. The large number and wide variety of these organizations make school participation available for all students.

A Beginning to a New Career. *Before an interested crowd, Isiah Kelley demonstrates his modeling skill.*

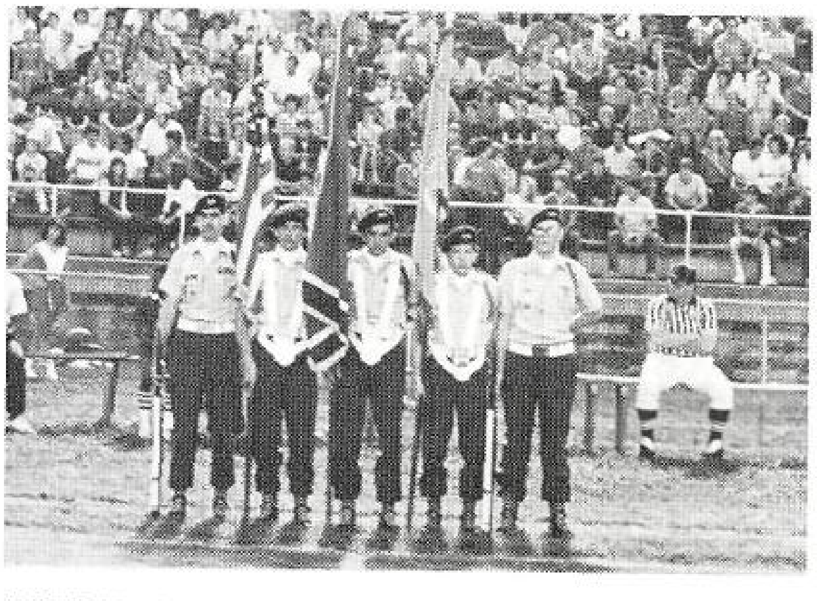
Locker Room Frenzy. *Cheryl Miller shows the other side of the powder puff football game. Not only did the girls learn the game of football, but they also learned about the equipment with the help of their coach Trevor Rifkin.*

CLUBS and ORGANIZATIONS

Taking a Break. *Even though they are trying to meet an early deadline, the journalism staff finds time to pose for the photographer.*

A Helping Hand. *Theresa Barnes takes time out to give blood.*

Showing Spirit. *Leading the band during a half-time performance is Melanie Glover.*



ROTC Tradition Lives on. *The ROTC Color Guard awaits their entrance onto the football field to present the American flag during the playing of the National Anthem.*

GOLD DUST STAFF

Jumping Journalists

Behind the Scenes on the Gold Dust Staff

What exactly does that lively bunch of journalism students do? They don't just put together a yearbook; on the contrary, they also attend workshops, produce the school newspaper, practice their journalistic skills, and much more. During the summer, some of the journalism students attended a workshop at M.T.S.U. Their hard work at this seminar paid off when they won the trophy for "Best Layout and Design."

However, putting together the ***Gold Dust*** *takes top priority at the beginning of the year. Writing articles and captions, taking pictures, designing layouts, doing interviews, and trying to meet deadlines are just a few of the tasks which the students must tackle in order to produce the yearbook.*

In the spring when the yearbooks return, a banquet is held in celebration of this event. At the banquet, the person to whom the yearbook has been dedicated is honored, the juniors roast the seniors, and everyone enjoys a delicious meal.

The ***Gold Dust*** *staff truly enjoys putting our school year in print and picture form for everyone to reminisce upon in the years to come. The accomplishment of this endeavor makes all the hard work worthwhile.*

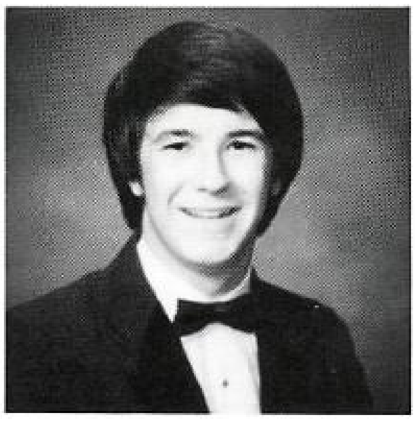
Editor: *Kristie Haynes.*

Adviser: *Mrs. Millsaps.*

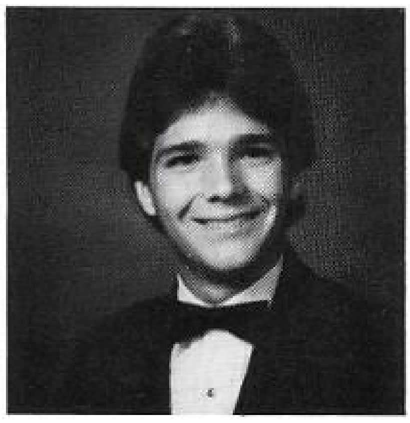
Assistants: *Phil Lewis, co-editor; Diane Griffin, copy editor; Jim Rippy, business manager.*

Sports Section — *Cindy Taliaferro, Barry Cartwright, editor; Jim LeeMaster, Ricky Allen.*
Clubs and Organizations Section — *Lisa Spann, Angela Peyton, Sharon Jones, editor.*

Features Section — *Sandi Johns, editor; Paige Ward, Teresa Landry.*
Faces Section — *David Miller, Audra Brown, Francine Boisvert, editor.*

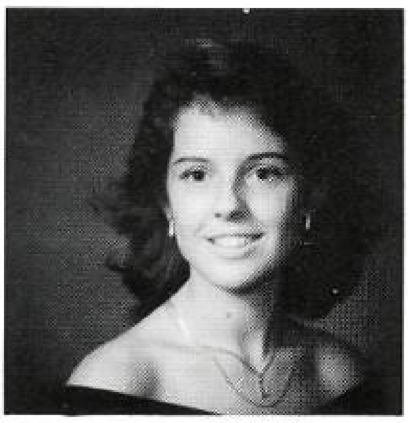


Don Johnson, president



Doug Loux, vice president

Diane Griffin, secretary



Sandi Johnson, treasurer

THE NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The National Honor Society, sponsored by Mrs. Virginia Brogli, strives to honor those students who excel academically at S.H.S. Requirements for membership are a 3.5 grade point average, attendance at Smyrna High School for at least one year, and no grade below a C on a six weeks' grade. The students also must exemplify the important qualities of scholarship, leadership, character, and service.

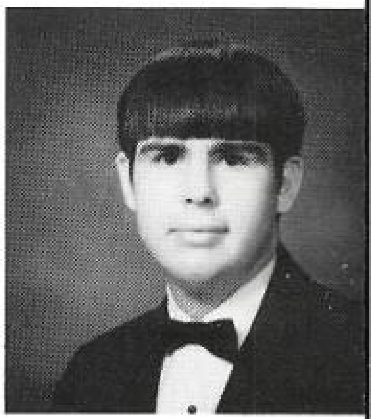
On November 8, 1983, the induction ceremony for new members was held during an assembly. The new members were recognized, and a reception was held afterwards.

The National Honor Society participates in community service projects. This year they plan to visit the pediatric ward of a hospital at Christmas time. The seniors will take a trip to Gatlinburg in the spring.

Tammy Brackney

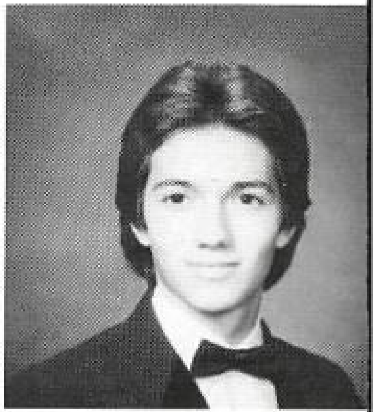
Antoinette Cannon

Susan Crevison

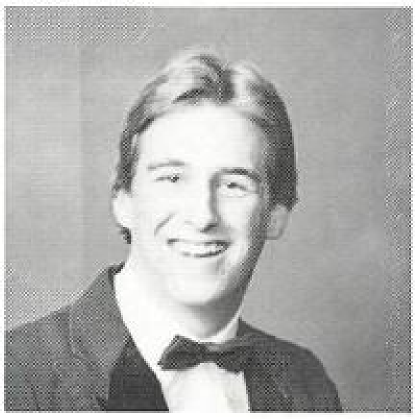


Tony Cook

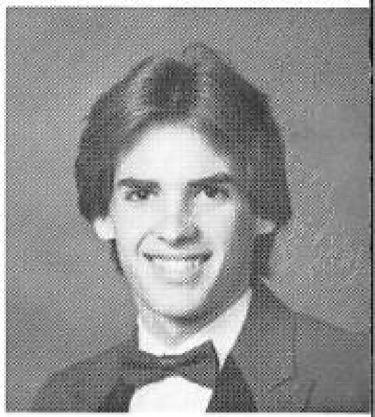
Martha Harris



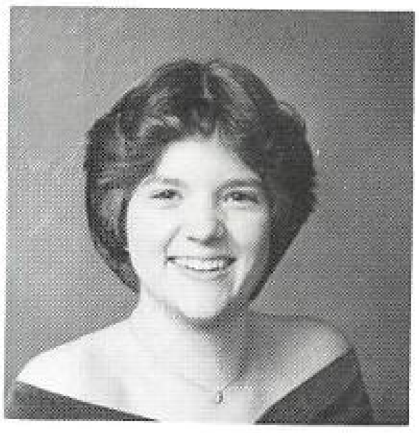
Jeff Key



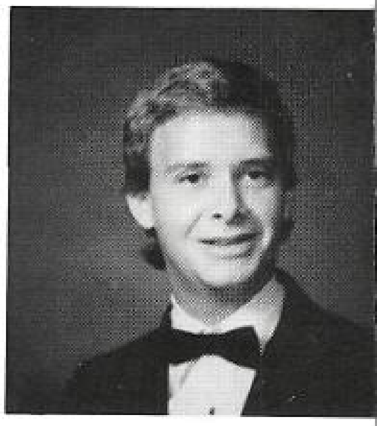
Steve Mullins



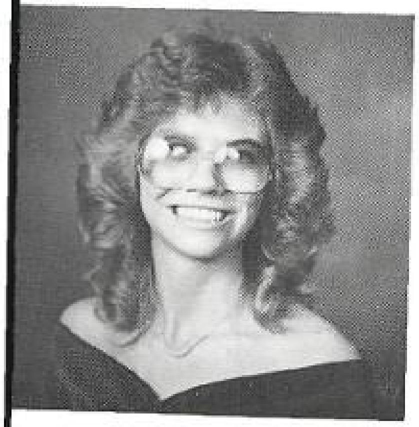
Billy Norton



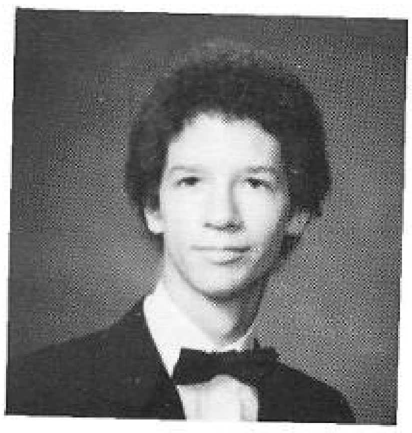
Kathy Raleigh



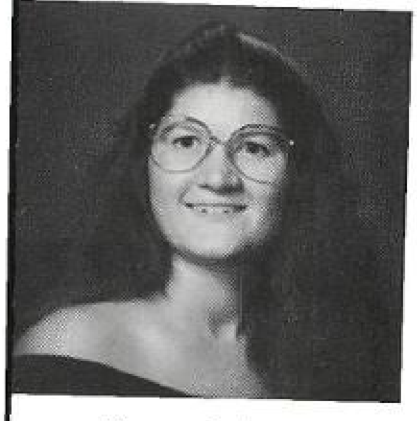
John Vizena



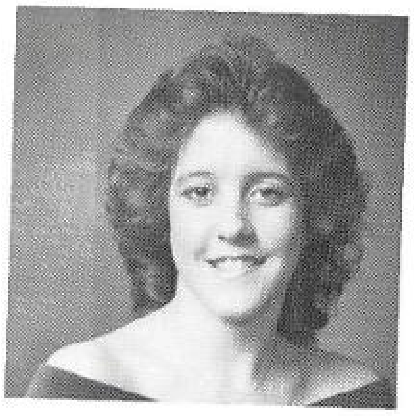
Cindy Carter



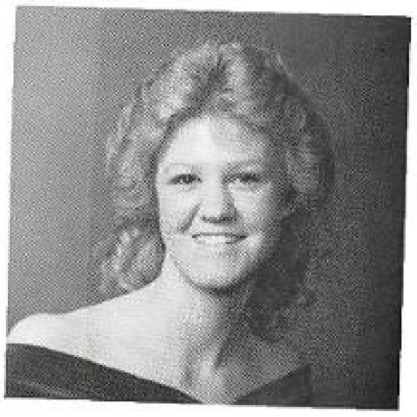
Barry Cartwright



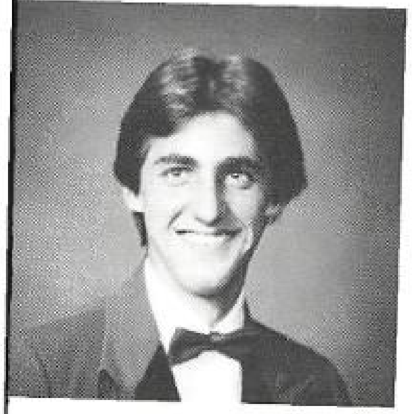
Yvonne Corley



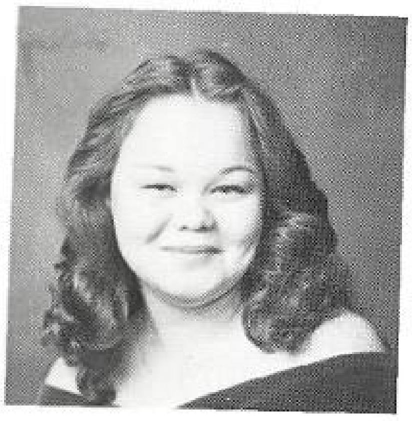
Kim Denton



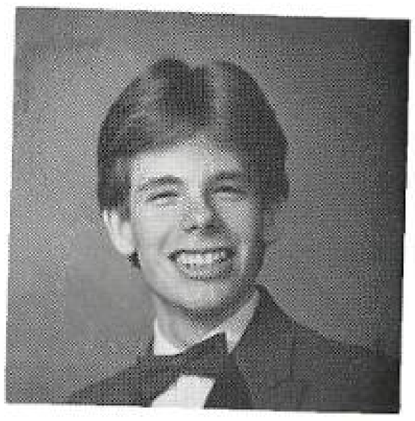
Rebecca Fields



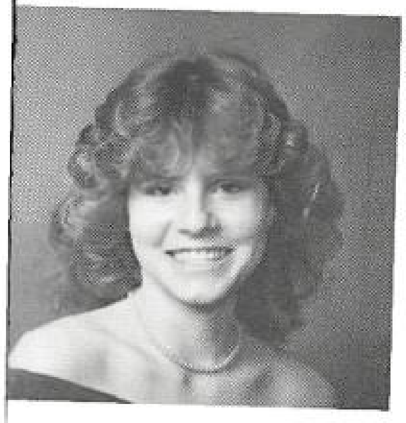
Denis Lackey



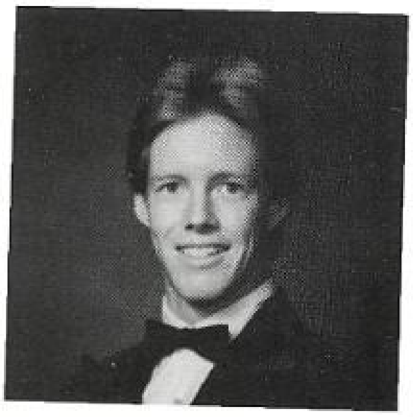
Tammy Martin



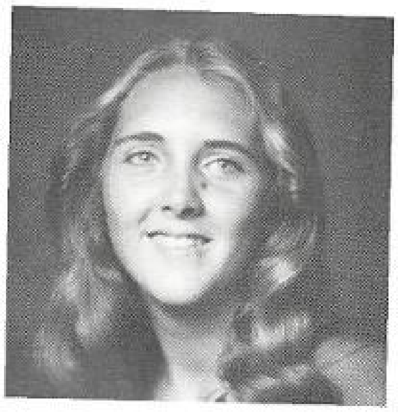
David McCormick



Angela Peyton



Mark Pickel



Regina Waddey

Paige Ward

Mrs. Virginia Brogli, sponsor

Seniors

Row 1: *Martha Harris, Kathy Ralston, Kelly Ferrell, Bethany Wilson, Sandi Johns, Kristie Haynes, Angel Estes.*

Row 2: *Doug Loux, Colin Whinnery, Candy Whitley, John Atwood, Tammy Brackney, Tracey Howse, Antoinette Cannon, Hunter Nash, Billy Vaughn, Barry Cartwright.*

Juniors

Row 1: *Lisa Spann.*

Row 2: *Melanie Glover, Jama Whitehead, Paige Stem, Beckie Travis, Julie Adcock.*

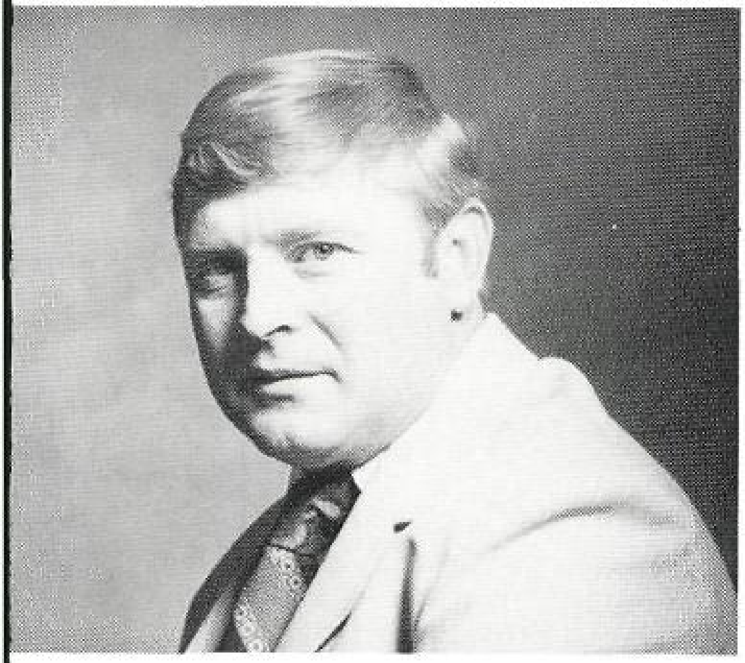
Row 3: *Shannon Hidalgo, Jon Parker, Danny Brewer, Wally Kennon, David Miller, Glenn Garner, Teresa Landry.*

Sophomores

Row 1: *Barbara Francis, Mary Elizabeth Crosslin, Lisa Rooker, Melissa Hopper, Robin Allen, Monica Hobdy, Monica Scott.*

Row 2: *Shellie Bannister, Tracey Baggett, Jack Hollins, Tommy Gentry, Christie Davenport.*

STUDENT COUNCIL



Student Council Officers. *Glenn Garner, sergeant at arms; Kristie Haynes, secretary; Tracey Howse, vice president; Antoinette Cannon, treasurer; Doug Loux, president.*
Mr. McPeak, *sponsor.*
Their First Homecoming. *Chicken wire and napkins occupy the time of many sophomores as they learn the trade of building their homecoming float which they show along with their bulldog spirit.*
Beginning of a Long Weekend. *During fifth period the Student Council sponsored a mini-concert featuring Freedom Jam, a rock group from St. Petersburg, Florida, which added a little fun to the day before Thanksgiving.*

A Fun Filled Year

The Smyrna High School Student Council was the very active sponsor of Homecoming week during October 24-October 28. Student Council members set up the many activities which took place throughout the week; they also organized the parade held on Friday.

In addition, the Student Council sponsored the Homecoming dance held at the school Friday night after the game. In preparation for this dance, members purchased refreshments, decorations, and flowers. They were also responsible for getting a disc jockey for the dance.

Student Council members are selected by their classmates in an election. They strive to fulfill the wishes of the student body and to plan activities for them. This year they sponsored Homecoming, Asbestos Day, and Pin Day. The Student Council is sponsored by Mr. McPeak.

National
BETA
Club

Beta Members: Row 1: *Lee Reeves, LeeAnne Aldridge, Tamatha Hopkins, Jama Whitehead, Cindy Taliaferro, Angela Peyton, Cheryl Miller, Renee Robinson, Kim Webb, Diane Anderson, Francine Boisvert, Diane Griffin, Kristie Blankenship, Julie Adcock, Don Johnson.*

Row 2: *Jackie Robinson, Stephanie Mingle, Lisa Spann, Paige Ward, Cindy Carter, Tina Graham, Allison Peyton, Susan Griggs, JoAnn Sprague, Michelle Mastin, Diane Fisher, Susan Crevison, Audra Brown, Marie Williams.*

Row 3: *Melanie Glover, Natalie Parker, Karen Stover, Donna Wilson, Amanda McClure, Angie Thacker, Tammy Martin, Kathy Raleigh, Ginger Horskins, Shannon Hidalgo, Barbara Woody, Debbie Raymer, Wendy Hale, Carren Leckie.*

Row 4: *Steve Mullins, Shelley Tucker, Paige Stem, Chris Winham, Billy Norton, Leona Maston, Yvonne Corley, Tammy Brackney, Martha Harris, Sandi Johns, Antoinette Cannon, Kristie Haynes, Glenn Garner, Kim King.*

Row 5: *Robert Burton, Lynn Armstrong, Robert Chambless, David Tenpenny, Jeff Key, David McCormick, Rebecca Fields, Melissa Creighton, Melissa Tubb, Kim Percha, Melanie Mingle, Shelly Dodson, Regina Waddey.*

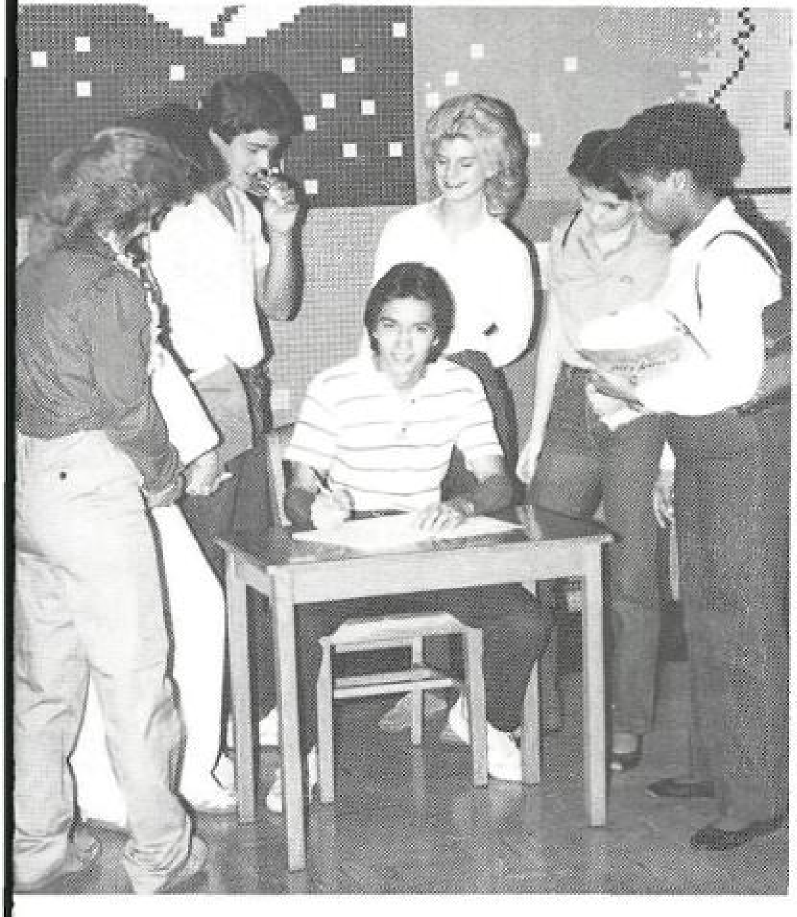
Row 6: *Mark Pickel, Tracey Allen, Byron Alsup, David Miller, Trevor Rifkin, Bethany Wilson, Doug Loux, Hunter Nash, Barry Cartwright, Philip Shadowens, Sam Tucker.*

Row 7: *Brad Miller, Teresa Bolton, Jennifer Weitemeyer, Kerri Parman, Larry Vizena, Frances Storey, Phil Lewis, Lisa Tyson, Matthew Hetman, Tony Cook, Jim LeeMaster.*

Officers. *Teresa Bolton, secretary; Glen Garner, vice president; Tammy Brackney, president; Kim King, treasurer.*

Sponsors. *Mrs. Price, Mrs. Smith*

BETA CLUB



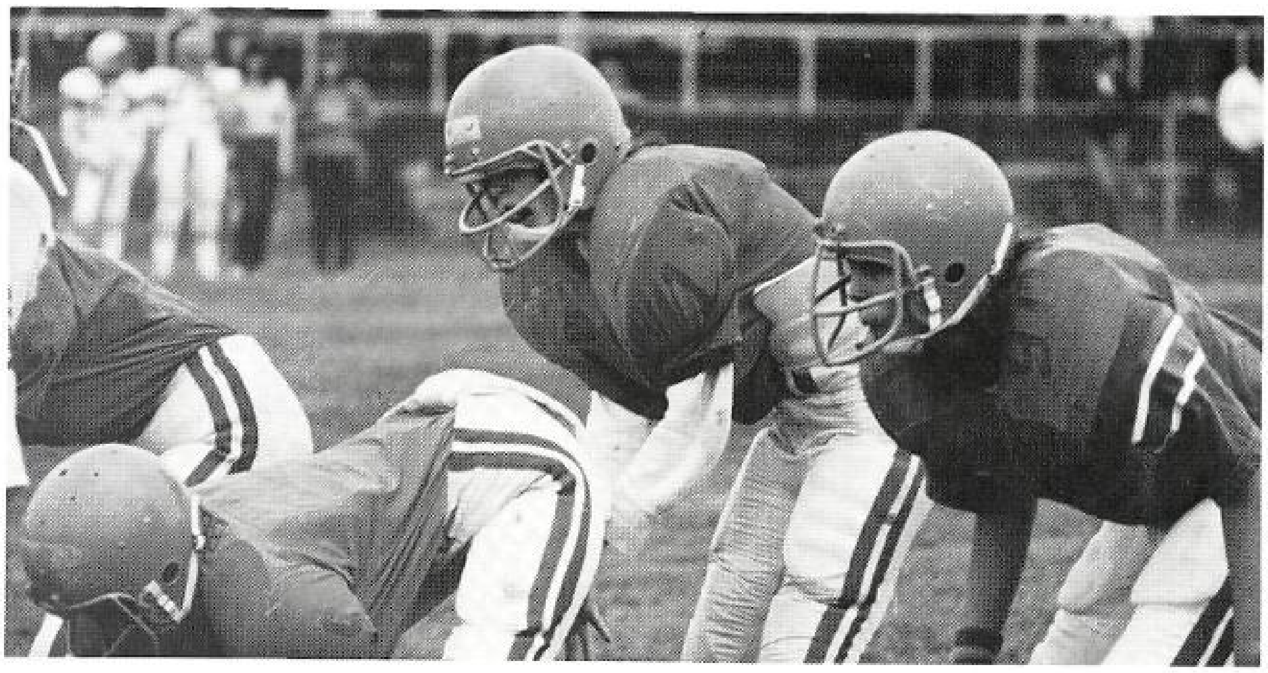
Getting Involved

Smyrna High School is proud to have a Beta Club that is not afraid of getting involved. To be involved in the Beta Club, one must maintain a 3.25 grade point average and must exhibit qualities of leadership, character, and good school attendance. The teachers must also approve the members before they are invited.

Beta has had various fundraisers throughout the year. In order to raise money, Betas sold candy and carnations. Money is also raised through the slave sale. This money is donated to St. Jude's Children Hospital in Memphis, Tennessee. During slave day, members who are sold as slaves subject themselves to all types of commands and orders.

During Homecoming week, Beta Club members hold a powder puff football game. The girls play football while the boys lead the cheers. Near the end of the year, some members attend Beta convention. There some members participate in the elections of state officers and in the talent contest.

The Beta Club is sponsored by Mrs. Price and Mrs. Smith.



***Candy Sale.** Each spring the Beta members attend the state Beta convention. During the year the Betas have several fundraisers to help to defray convention expenses. One of those fundraisers is the candy sale. Pictured are Jeff Key, Tammy Brackney, and Doug Loux selling candy for the Beta Club.*

***Powder Puff Football Game.** Martha Harris prepares to hike the ball to quarterback Natalie Parker for a long pass to receiver Denise Webb.*

***Slave Day.** A unique fundraiser sponsored by the Beta Club is slave day. Beta seniors are sold to the highest bidder. The money is donated to St. Jude's Hospital for Children. Pictured are master Karen Stover and slave Tracey Allen.*

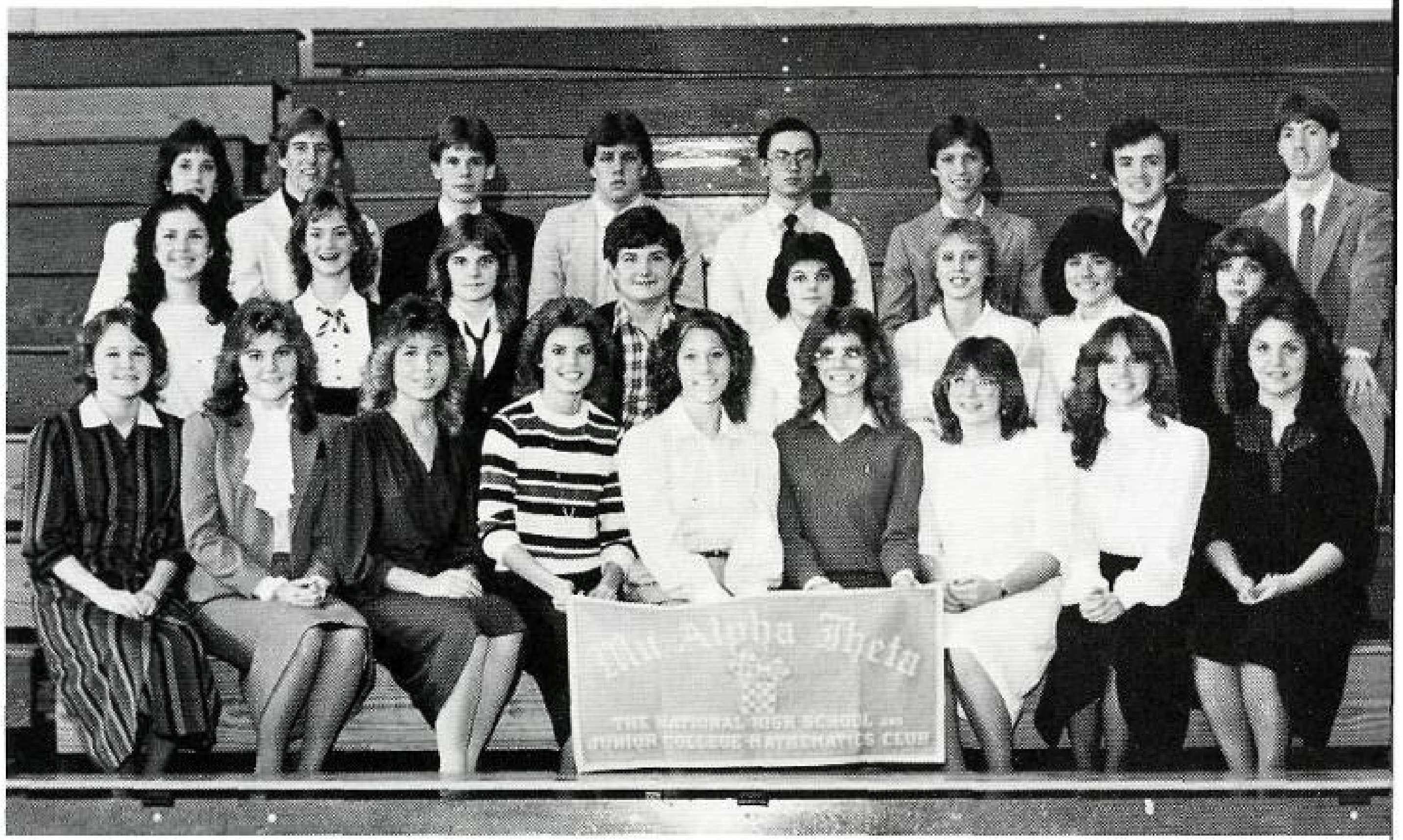
***Flower Sale.** Another fundraiser is the spring flower sale. During lunch, Bethany Wilson and Lisa Tyson encourage students to support the Beta Club by sending a flower to a special friend.*

Seniors

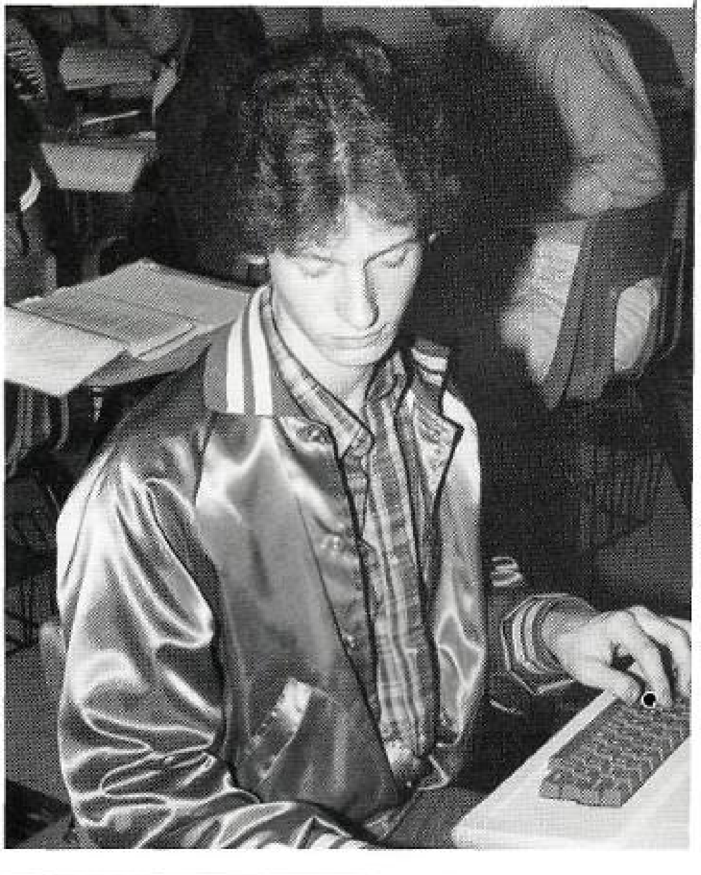
Members: Row 1: *Doug Loux, reporter-historian; Brad Miller, president; Antoinette Cannon, secretary; Mark Pickel, treasurer; Barry Cartwright, vice-president.*
Row 2: *Don Johnson, Yvonne Corley, Kim Percha, Tina Graham, Diane Griffin, Francine Boisvert, Diane Anderson, Debbie Moore.*
Row 3: *Regina Waddey, Teresa Bolton, Sam Tucker, Kristie Haynes, Kerry Morris, Sandi Johns, Angie Thacker.*
Row 4: *Kenny Hunsicker, Jeff Key, Tracey Allen, Hunter Nash, Denis Lackey, Trevor Rifkin, Tony Cook.*

Juniors

Members: Row 1: *Debbie Raymer, Tammy McDaniel, Teresa Landry, Paige Ward, Lisa Spann, Cindy Carter, Cheryl Miller, Angela Peyton, Cindy Taliaferro.*
Row 2: *Kim King, Paige Stem, Tamatha Hopkins, Chuck Ransom, Thresa Silverest, Carren Leckie, Audra Brown, Susan Griggs.*
Row 3: *Shelly Dodson, Steve Mullins, David McCormick, Sammy Snell, Robert Morrison, Ricky Allen, Glenn Garner, Matthew Hetman.*

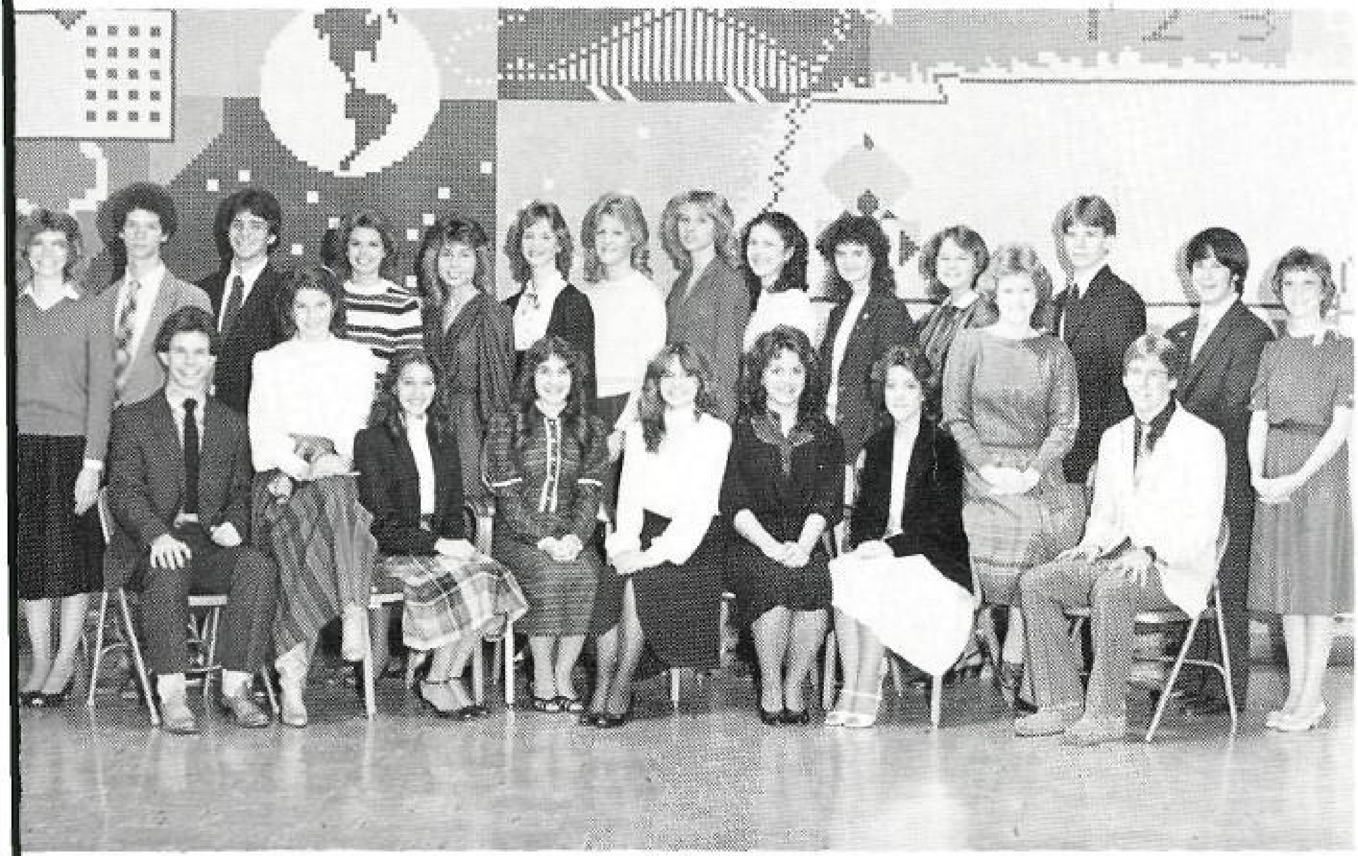


*The members of Mu Alpha Theta may be juniors or seniors and must maintain a **B** average in mathematics. The club, sponsored by Mrs. Liles, Mrs. Ailes, and Mrs. Keese, recognizes those students who excel in the subject of mathematics. The members participate in fundraisers, math tutoring services, and local, state, and national Mu Alpha Theta meetings and conventions.*



Breaking the Code. *Terry Smith reads the manual in order to find out how to use various modes and screens on one of the school's computers.*

MU ALPHA THETA



BETA EPSILON

Members: Row 1: *David Miller, Sandi Johns, Melanie Glover, Diane Griffin, Angela Peyton, Cindy Taliaferro, Kim Denton, Susan Crevison, Steve Mullins.*

Row 2: *Cindy Carter, Barry Cartwright, Doug Loux, Paige Ward, Teresa Landry, Paige Stem, Rebecca Fields, Terri Huttner, Kim King, Diane Melton, Debbie Raymer, David McCormick, Don Johnson, Mrs. Jarnagin, sponsor.*

Beta Epsilon, the English honor society, recognizes those students who have maintained a 3.5 grade point average in English. The club sponsors a tutoring service and the Smyrna High School entries in the Belmont College Wordfest competition. During National Education Week, Beta Epsilon honors and recognizes our English teachers. The club is under the leadership of Mrs. Jarnagin.

Beta Epsilon Officers. *Cindy Taliaferro, activities chairperson; David Miller, vice-president; Don Johnson, president; Melanie Glover, secretary; Mrs. Jarnagin, sponsor.*

Showing Appreciation. *Mr. Miller, a previous English teacher, receives his recognition from Kim King, a member of Beta Epsilon, during National Education Week.*

Intermost Thought. *After receiving her recognition during teacher appreciation week, Mrs. Price was quoted as saying, "Those Beta Epsilon members surely do make me happy."*

It's So Easy. *Many students have suffered through a class of foreign language, believing that it is impossible to learn. Mike Crocker tutors one of those confused students in French.*

French Honor Club Officers.

Row 1: *Debbie Raymer, vice president; Monica Scott, president.*

Row 2: *Wendy Basham, secretary; Tammy Estes, treasurer; Diane Baker, historian.*

The French Honor Club, under the leadership of Mrs. Hoover, strives to become more educated about the culture and customs of French speaking people. One can become a member of the French Club by invitation only. The club will participate in this year's Christmas parade.

Members: Row 1: *Thresa Silverest, Diane Baker, Tammy McDaniel, Cindy Taliaferro.*
Row 2: *Bucky Rice, Natalie Parker, Debbie Raymer, Tammy Wilson, Kathy Buchanan, Tammy Estes, Mike Crocker, Robin Finch, Monica Scott, Wendy Basham, Darrell LuAllen.*

FRENCH HONOR CLUB

INTERACT

***Members:* Row 1:** *Jim Rippy, Barry Cartwright, Don Johnson, Wanda Loyd, Jamie Naron, Cheryl Miller, Jama Whitehead, Cindy Taliaferro, Sharon Jones, Angela Peyton, Alan Smith, Ed Garner, Glenn Garner.*

Row 2: *Angel Estes, Julie Adcock, Teresa Hancock, Carren Leckie, Greta Hale, Candy Whitley, Marie Williams, Katie Bannister, Audra Brown, Beckie Travis, Shannon Hidalgo, Tammy Tallant.*

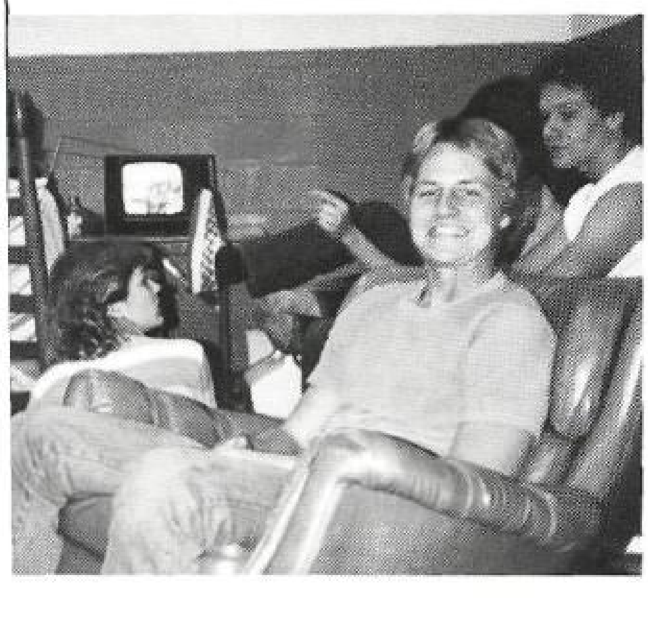
Row 3: *Ida Tucker, Kathy Ralston, Antoinette Cannon, Kristie Haynes, Sharon Wingate, Paige Ward, Teresa Landry, Sandi Johns, Julie Morrison, Lisa Spann, Cindy Carter, Mike Hosford, Stephanie Mingle.*

Row 4: *Robert Carillon, Kelly Ferrell, David Miller, Bethany Wilson, Kathleen McCoin, Regina Waddey, Steve Mullins, Ellen Meacham, Kim King, Dean Mullenax, Kim Percha, Todd Loggins.*

Row 5: *Chris Burke, Andy Miller, David McCormick, Steve Scarlett, Philip Shadowens, John Atwood, Michael Williams, Jerry Weaver, Jeff Key, Shelly Dodson, Trevor Rifkin, Doug Loux.*

Row 6: *Tracey Howse, Phil Lewis, Kerry Morris, Randy McGlaun, Brad Miller, Mark Pickel, Mitch Freeman, Bobby Cagle, Hunter Nash.*

When students accept their invitations to Interact, they dedicate themselves to serving our community. The members held a rock-a-thon to raise money for a local drug rehabilitation center, and they have planned projects to aid the needy during Christmas. Interact is sponsored by Mrs. Polk.

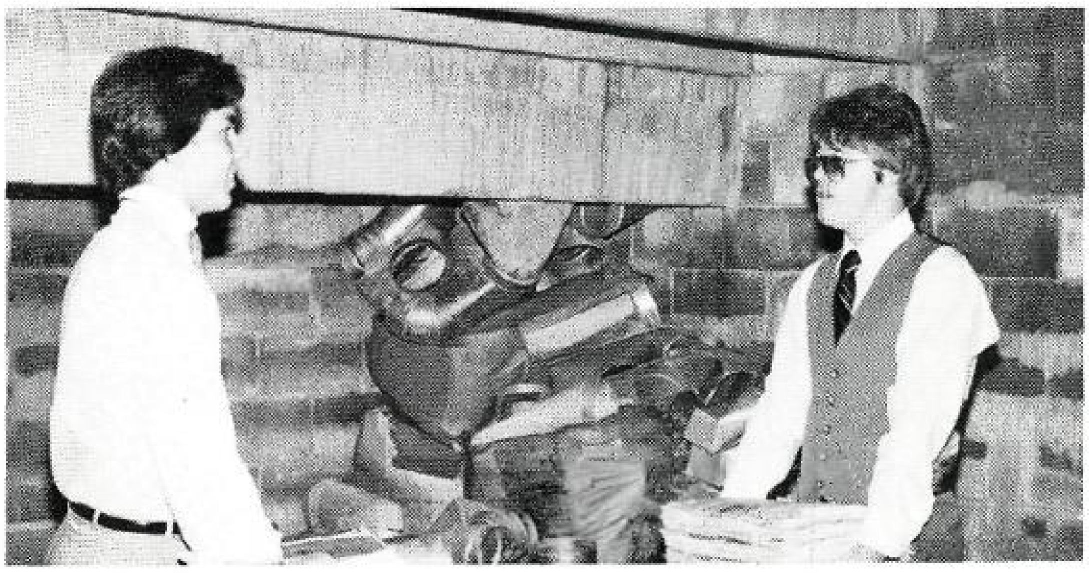


Officers. *Jim Rippy, president; Angel Estes, treasurer; Kelly Ferrell, vice president; Wanda Loyd, secretary; Trevor Rifkin, sergeant at arms; Mrs. Polk, sponsor.*

Musically Inclined. *Television, books, homework, and music were many of the ways the participants in the rock-a-thon passed the long hours. Sandi Johns spent some time enjoying a serenade by Robert Carillon.*

Settling in for a Long Ten Hours. *During the first few hours of the Interact rock-a-thon, Hunter Nash shows his contentment and spirit for the long rock ahead.*

STEP Club Members:
Row 1: *Anissa Bamfield, Angie Mitchell, Lisa Bannister, Randy McGlaun, Kathy Ralston, Audra Brown, Lee Brown, Melanie Mingle, Jana Galyon, Andrea McBriar, Sharon Wingate.*
Row 2: *David McCormick, Andy Miller, David Miller, Cammie Vaughn, Jerri Ballard, Diane Anderson, Julie Morrison, Hunter Nash, Parrish Brown, Roy Spain.*
Row 3: *Brad Miller, Matthew Hetman, Regina Waddey, Lisa Carillon, Diane Baker, Ellen Meachum, Robin Sanders, Oley Martin, Todd Loggins.*
Hard at Work. *Collecting papers for the paper drive sponsored by the STEP Club are Randy McGlaun and Lee Brown.*



STEP Club Officers: *Lee Brown, president; Andy Miller, treasurer; Karen Anderson, secretary; Mrs. Webb, sponsor.*

The STEP Club is a club for students who show an interest in the improvement and protection of the environment. The club's activities include collecting papers for recycling, distributing trees to the community, planting flowers on the school campus, presenting information on the environment, and making posters to promote environmental ideas. The club's sponsor is Mrs. Webb.

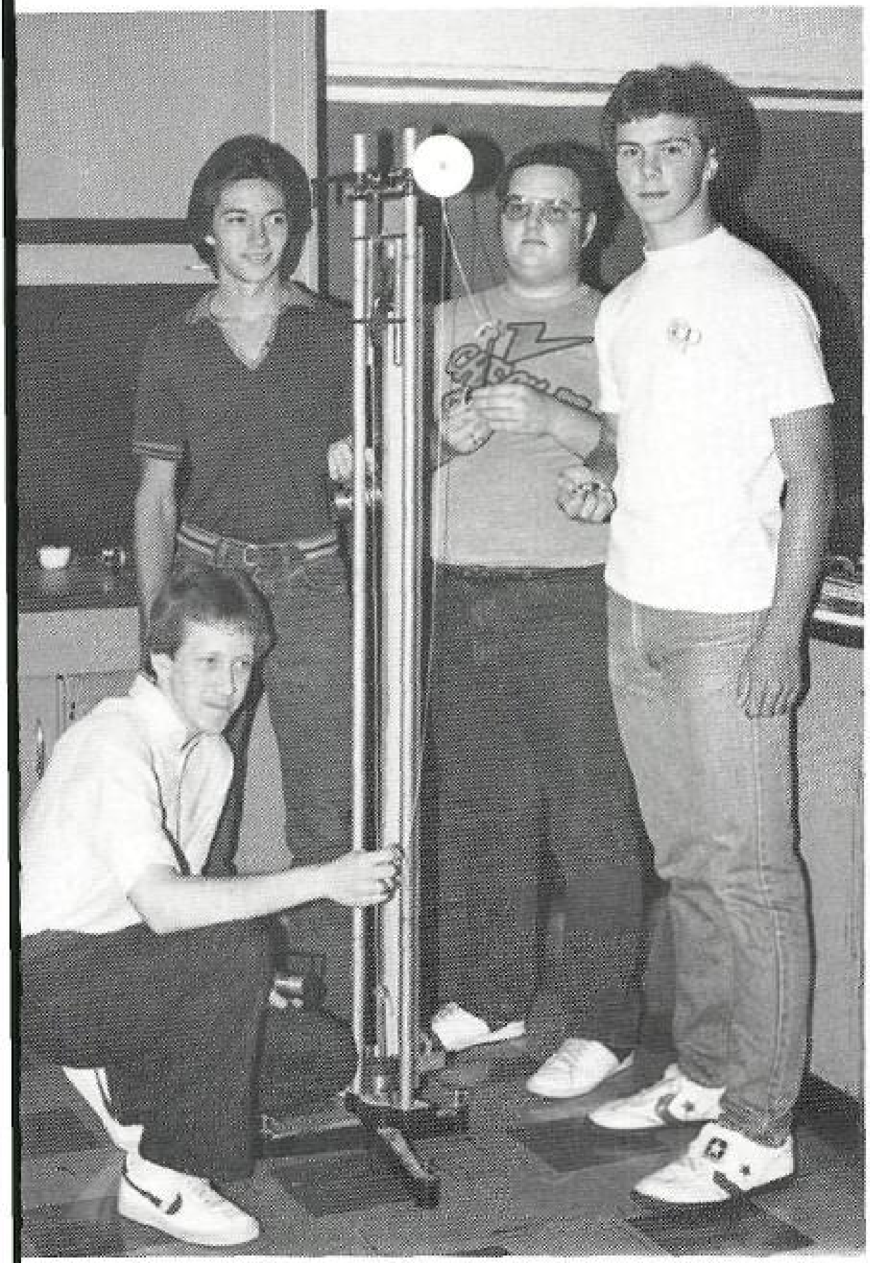
STEP CLUB

SCIENCE CLUB

The members of the Science Club must be enrolled in a science class. They go on field trips to regional science related industries. They also raise money through a candy sale to go on a trip at the end of the year.

The club sponsors a science contest, and many of the members take part in a science olympiad. They also take part in community service activities, including class held to teach people the technique of cardiopulmonary resuscitation.

Mrs. Richards and Mrs. Webb sponsor the Science Club.



Showing Science Club Spirit.
Science Club members Michael Williams, Jeff Key, Jim Rippy, and Brad Miller demonstrate the operation of the Behr Free Fall Apparatus.

Science Club Officers: *Michael Williams, treasurer; Hunter Nash, vice president; Brad Miller, president; Jim Rippy, secretary; Jeff Key, reporter; Mrs. Richards and Mrs. Webb, sponsors.*

cience Club members:

ow 1: Brad Miller, Matthew Hetman, Regina Waddey, Deborah Brazelton, Anissa Bamfield, Diane Baker, Angela Peyton, Karen Piercy, na Galyon, Michelle Holland, Wanda Loyd, Melissa Creighton, Debbie Moore, Kelly Ferrell, Jeff Key.

ow 2: Don Johnson, Jon Parker, Andrea McBriar, JoAnn Sprague, Diane Fisher, David Lafferty, Shelly Lenfant, Jenny Amos, Julie orrison, Robin Allen, Jerri Ballard, Tracey Baggett, Francine Boisvert, Lisa Carillon.

ow 3: Audra Brown, Tina Anderson, Mary Glassco, Erin Riley, Manicia Stephens, Melissa Gill, Monica Scott, Tonya Smith, Lori Bolton, arrell Welch, Wendy Warren, Sharon Dye, Kristee Johnson.

ow 4: Willie Loyd, Billy Norton, Sam Tucker, Alan Smith, Tammy Brackney, Kim King, Greg Calloway, Kim Percha, Natalie Parker, am Meacham, Amy Fowler, Lisa Sowell, Yvonne Corley, Kathy Raleigh.

ow 5: Barry Cartwright, Michael Williams, Hunter Nash, Doug Loux, Jim LeeMaster, Kelly Simpson, Mack Short, Jeff Givens, Rebecca elds, Kathy Ralston, Ellen Meacham, Wendy Basham, Kelly Hillard.

ow 6: Jim Rippy, Tony Cook, James Richeson, Teresa Bolton, John Cothron.

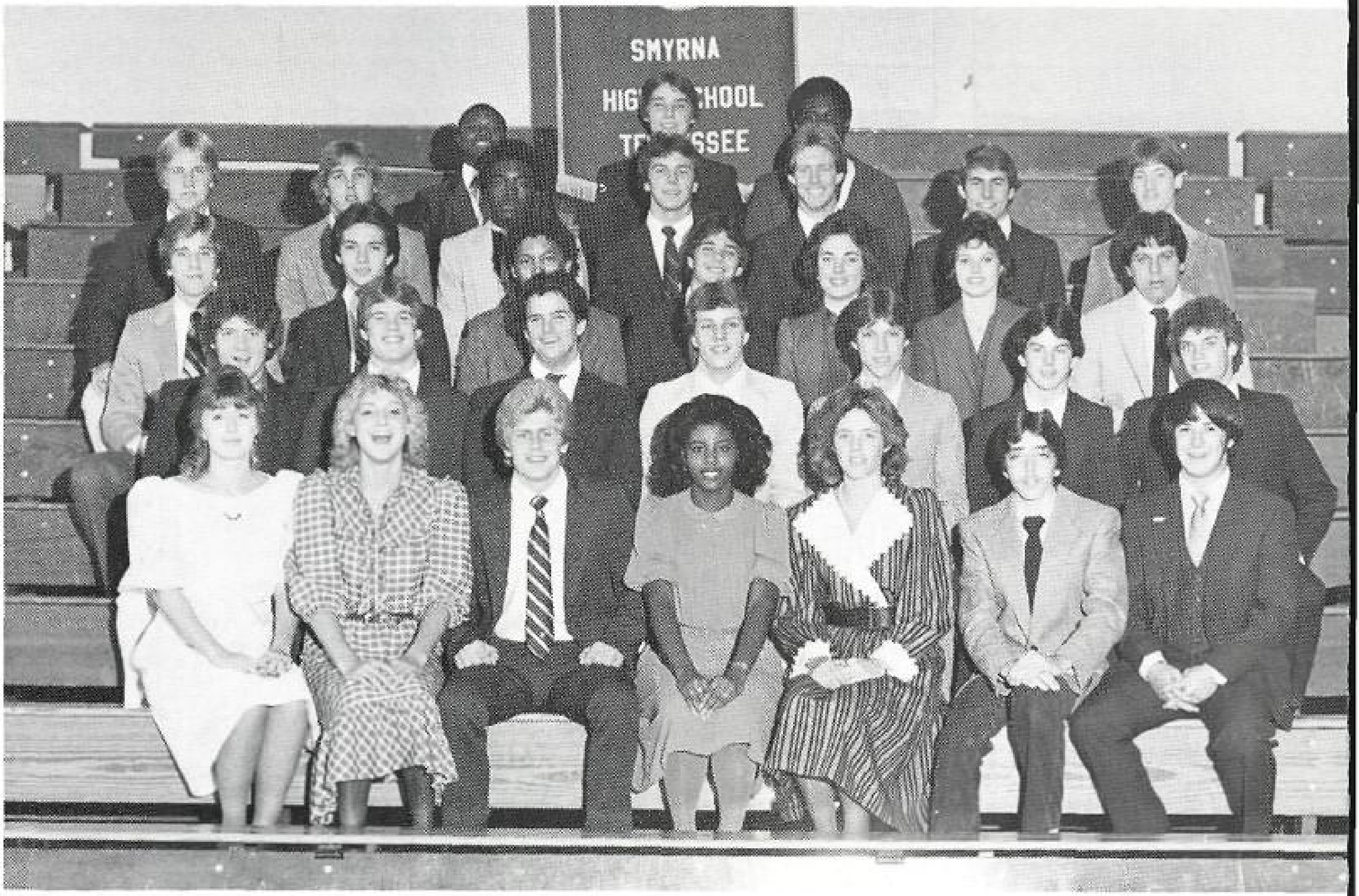
KEY CLUB

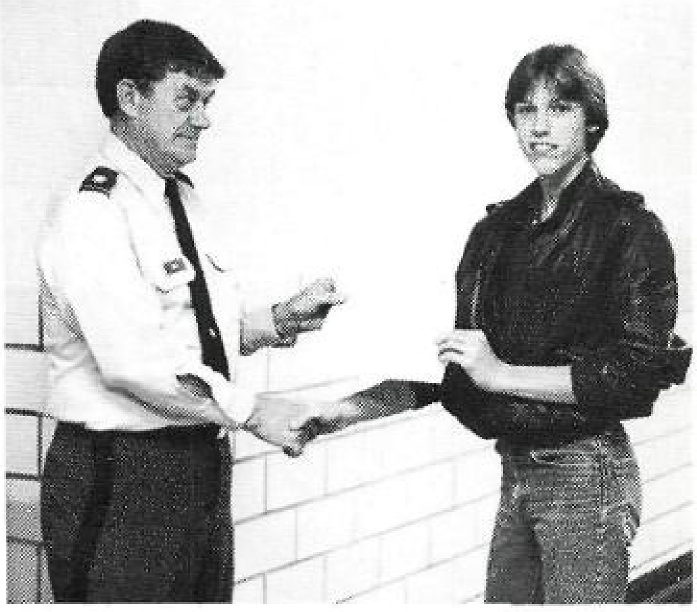
Members:* *Row 1: *Andrea McBrayer, Kim Percha, Todd Loggins, Antoinette Cannon, Kelly Ferrell, Bucky Rice, Don Johnson.* ***Row 2:*** *Colin Whinnery, Robert Carillon, Chris Burke, Sammy Snell, Ricky Allen, Alan Smith, Ed Garner.*

Row 3: *Steve Heath, Jeff Key, Billy Vaughn, Doug Loux, Bethany Wilson, Kathleen McCoin, Trevor Rifkin.*

Row 4: *Hunter Nash, Ken Thomas, William Malone, Brad Miller, Mark Pickel, Mitch Freeman, Matthew Hetman.*

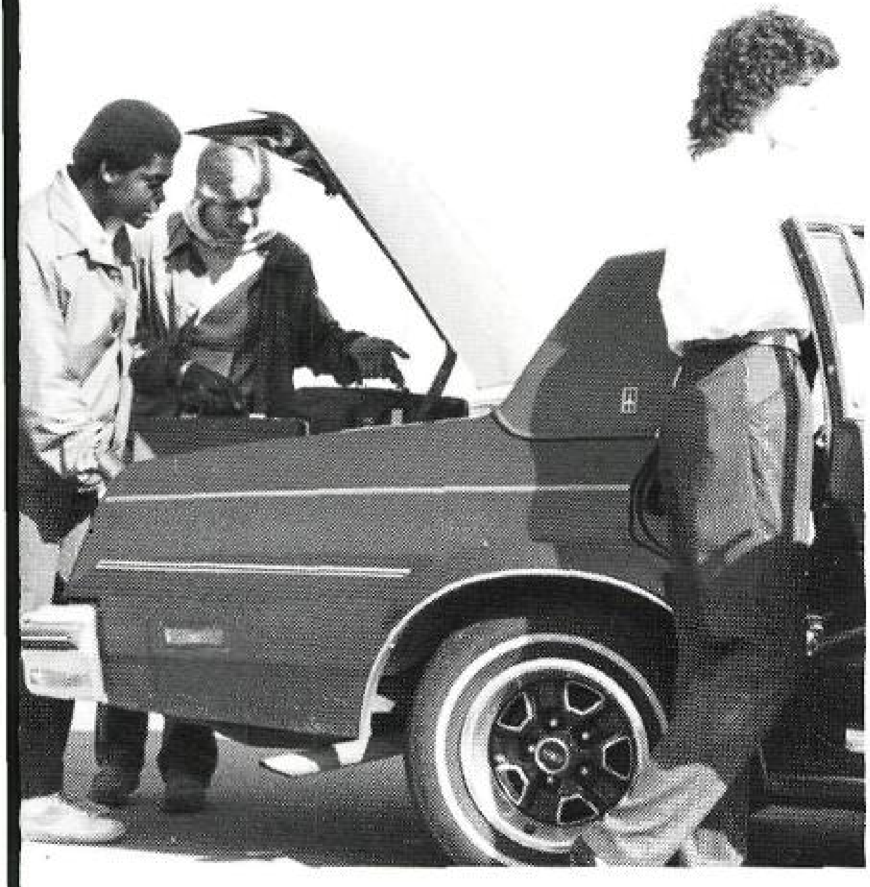
Row 5: *Isiah Kelley, Kerry Morris, Bucky Smart.*





Public Appreciation. *The Key Club sells trees to raise money for the Multiple Sclerosis Society. Ricky Allen presents Col. Sims with his certificate for buying a tree to support the Multiple Sclerosis foundation.*

Key Club Officers. *Mr. Beasley, sponsor; Jeff Key, president; Colin Whinnery, sergeant at arms; Doug Loux, secretary-treasurer.*



Unlocking the Future

Sponsored by Mr. Beasley, the Key Club sold spook insurance before Halloween and will also sell trees and candy canes. Money from the spook insurance sale and the candy cane fundraiser will be used for the yearly Key Club convention which will be held in Gatlinburg. Money obtained through the sale of trees will be donated to the Multiple Sclerosis Society.

To become a member of the Key Club, a student must be invited, and recomendation by the sponsor is required.

All Aboard for the Key Club Convention. *The highlight of most Key Club members is the yearly convention. Anxious to get off to three days of new experiences and new friends, Bucky Smart, Steve Heath, and Kathleen McCoin load the car to get underway on their trip to Gatlinburg, the site of the convention.*

Candy Cane Fund Raisers. *The Key Club raises donations to defray the costs of the Key Club convention. While Bethany Wilson watches and Kelly Ferrell places the order, Mark Pickel sells a candy cane to Becky Carden.*

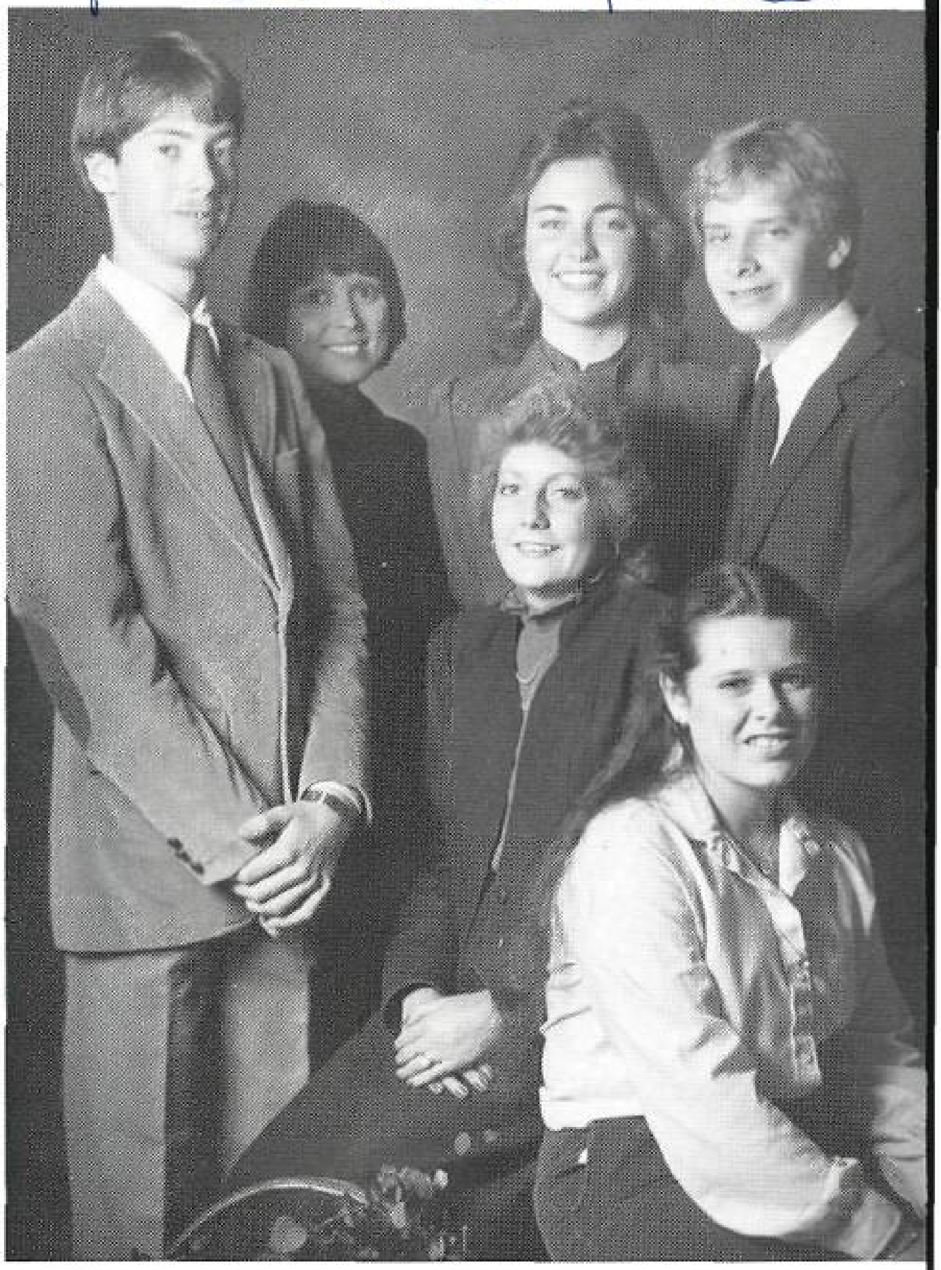
Key Club Sweethearts. *The largest number of girls ever to be invited to the Smyrna High Key Club is represesented this year. Paving the way for more girls becoming involved are this year's sweethearts:*

Row 1: *Kelly Ferrell, Andrea McBrayer.*

Row 2: *Kim Percha, Antoinette Cannon, Kathleen McCoin, Bethany Wilson.*

Larry (John),
Its great have you as a great friend. We've party for the past couple of years & hope to do it some more. your really great to ride the BAND Bus with.
Take care & keep in touch

Love ya,
Kathy



The members of the Drama Club show an interest in and an appreciation for the theater and dramatic productions. They plan field trips to watch play performances, and they plan to put on their own productions in the spring. The Drama Club is sponsored by Miss Lallone.

Officers: *Matthew Hetman, treasurer; Miss Lallone, sponsor; Bethany Wilson, vice president; Larry Vizena, secretary; Kathy Walden, president; Tara Hall, sergeant at arms.*

Members: Row 1: *Susan Crevison, Lynn Armstrong, Marie Williams, Rene Braswell, Kathy Walden, Dana Greer, Kim Nolin, Amy Russell.*
Row 2: *Jon Parker, Kellye Messer, Jamie Armstrong, Wendy Hale, Diane Fisher, Tara Hall, Davida Burton.*
Row 3: *Larry Vizena, Gwen Gentry, Paige Stem, Dean Mullenax, Wanda Loyd, Teresa White, Stephanie Devers.*
Row 4: *Erin Riley, Matthew Hetman, Bethany Wilson, Phil Lewis, Brenda Strader.*

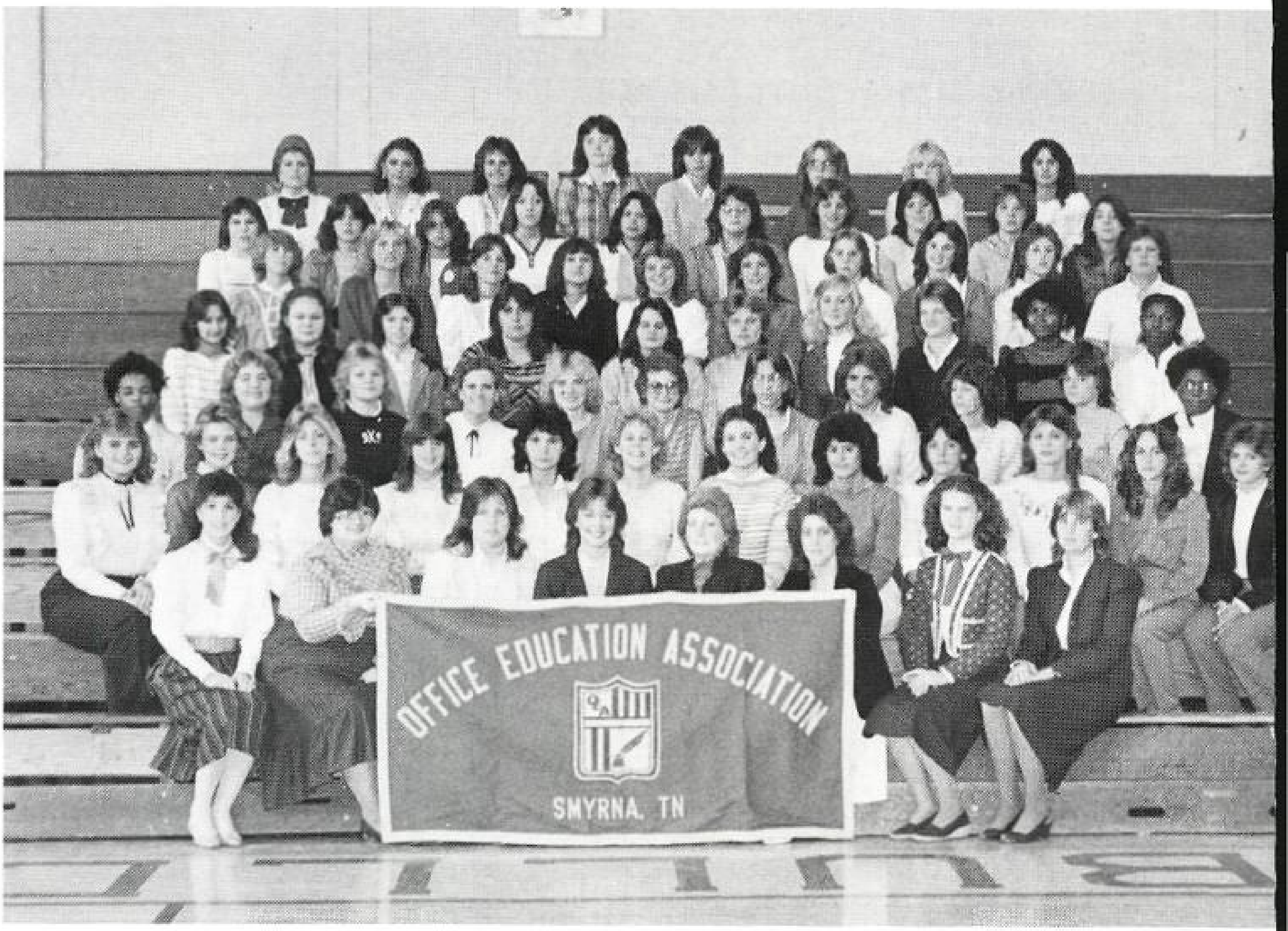
DRAMA CLUB

FHA-HERO

Members: Row 1: *Mrs. Covington, Angel Estes, Kathy Ralston, Kim Percha, Kim Lackey, Lisa Henegar, Dina Gurley, Wanda Loyd, Teresa Castleberry, LeeAnne Aldridge, Cheryl Miller, Jamie Naron, Lisa Pope.*
Row 2: *Mrs. Smithson, Annette Whited, Sherry Parrish, Missy Goad, Michelle Webb, Kristee Johnson, Tammy Williams, Linda Nunn, Missy Bebout, Kim Kelley, Nancy Mucerino, Rhonda Jesse.*
Row 3: *Teresa McClain, Theresa Barnes, Teri Barlar, Cindy Johnson, Shana Wilson, Nansisue Henson, Melissa Carlson, Marianne Henson, Sharon Wingate, Julie Towns, Kelly Wray, Sharon Schwager, Miss Flakes.*
Row 4: *Brenda Ivey, Kim Walker, Michelle Smart, Wanda Thomas, Allison Blye, Donna Moss, Melissa Tubb, Kathy Raleigh, Melanie Pharris, Lynn Duncan, Sandra Bean, Miss Alverson.*
Row 5: *Ricky Potts, Renee Robinson, Patty Sparks, Tammy Vaughn, Rebecca Turner, Stacey Grandieson, Tywanta Martin, Andrea Buckner, Denise Turner, Lisa Brown.*
Row 6: *Yvonne Helton, Cindy Phillips, Lois Sullivan, Beth Helms, Kim Peyson, Kim Paul, Leigh Jackson, Marsha Adams, Carry Williams, Michelle Young.*

FHA-HERO, sponsored by Mrs. Covington, Mrs. Smithson, and Mrs. Bell, strives to help today's youth assume roles in society. The club achieves their set goals through home economics education in areas of personal growth, family life, vocational preparation, and community involvement. The club's various activities include participation in the homecoming parade, carnation sales, and candy sales; they also attend a convention which is held at Opryland Hotel.

FHA-HERO Officers. *Becky Turner, vice president; Mrs. Smithson, sponsor; Kathy Ralston, president; Stacey Grandieson, parliamentarian-historian; Mrs. Covington, sponsor; Jamie Naron, secretary-treasurer.*
Club Participation. *Putting on the Ritz, the 1983 Homecoming theme, was depicted to the word by the FHA-HERO Homecoming truck.*
What a Salesperson. *FHA-HERO sponsors many fundraisers, one of which was the portfolio of treasures that contained one year planners and key chains. Lynn Duncan practices her sales technique on Kathy Ragland, who is comtemplating buying a calendar.*



Members: Row 1: *Sharon Jones, Beth Purser, Kerri Parman, Martha Harris, Kathy Walden, Kim Denton, Patty Cardin, Sandy Nornes.*
Row 2: *Tammy Hobbs, Cynthia Foutch, Kristie Blankenship, Ginger Horskins, Karen Fisher, Jamie Armstrong, Kellye Messer, Tracey Epps, Mary Swanson, Tammy Jones, Sherry Williamson, Shelly Cox.*
Row 3: *Kasha Parrish, Teresa Castleberry, Kristie Parker, LeeAnne Aldridge, Jennifer Officer, Kimberly Byrd, Lydia Rogers, Genia Glenn, Amy Gandara, Sonia Grissim, Phylis Wade.*
Row 4: *Kim Wayman, Tammy Martin, Melissa Hawn, Sheryl McCutchin, Michelle Slaven, Tonya Smith, Tammy Douthit, Anissa Bamfield, Murna Tucker, Tina Malone.*
Row 5: *Donya Oxley, Terri Huttner, Nansisue Henson, Terri Thacker, Jennifer Stotler, Michelle Underhill, Kim Delozier, Jennifer Weitemeyer, Melissa Gill, Mary Glasco.*
Row 6: *Tabbie Hassell, Kim Flowerdew, Donna Morgan, Donna LeClaire, Cindy Oxendine, Tammy McCoy, Jamie Baker, Tina McKnight, Towana Harrison, Carol Harris.*
Row 7: *Wendy West, Pam McNeese, Sherry Greene, Lisa Wilson, Doris Prosser, Amy Russell, Kim Brown, Patricia Brown.*

The members of OEA-TOEC are involved in the business and office education programs offered to Smyrna High School students. They participate in many leadership activities which include civic and service projects and citizenship and safety programs. The club, under the leadership of Mrs. Messick, strives to promote student ambition for useful purposes.

OEA-TOEC President. *Martha Harris gives instructions to the new members of OEA-TOEC during the fall induction ceremony.*
OEA-TOEC Officers. *Beth Purser, parliamentarian; Kerri Parman, secretary; Mrs. Messick, sponsor; Kathy Walden, vice president; Martha Harris, president; Kim Denton, reporter-historian.*
Induction Ceremony. *During the induction ceremony, the lighting of the candles signifies the welcoming of new members and officers.*

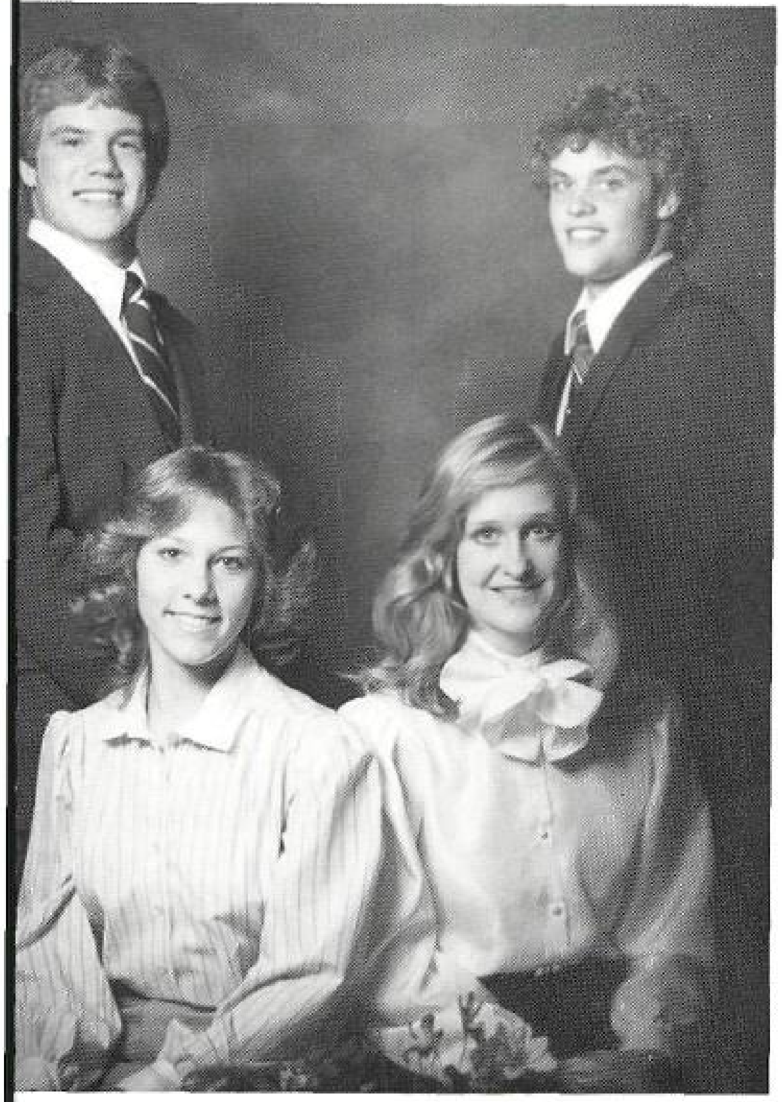
OEA - TOEC

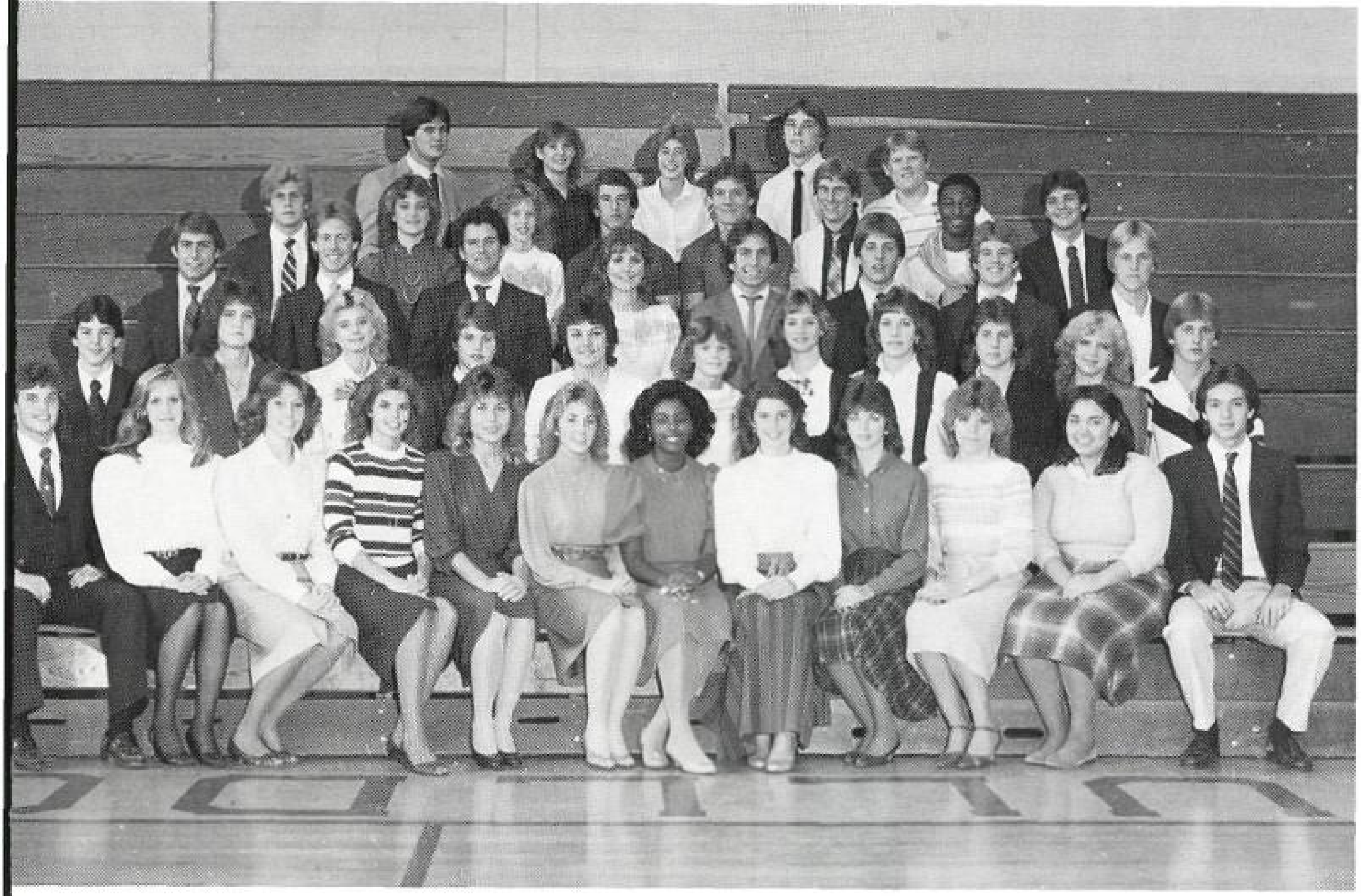
FCA

The Fellowship of Christian Athletes is an organization formed to help young athletes help each other to become an example of what Christ can do with good, moral lives. They strive to bring athletes, coaches, and the people they influence closer to Christ and to share their Christian beliefs with others.

To be member of FCA, a student must play on one or more of our athletic teams. The club sponsors a jog-a-thon and a cook-out, and they also send some FCA members to a summer camp.

The club is sponsored by Coach Harry McAnally.





***FCA Officers:** Lisa Spann, president; Kristie Haynes, president; Robert Carillon, secretary; Ed Garner, vice president.*

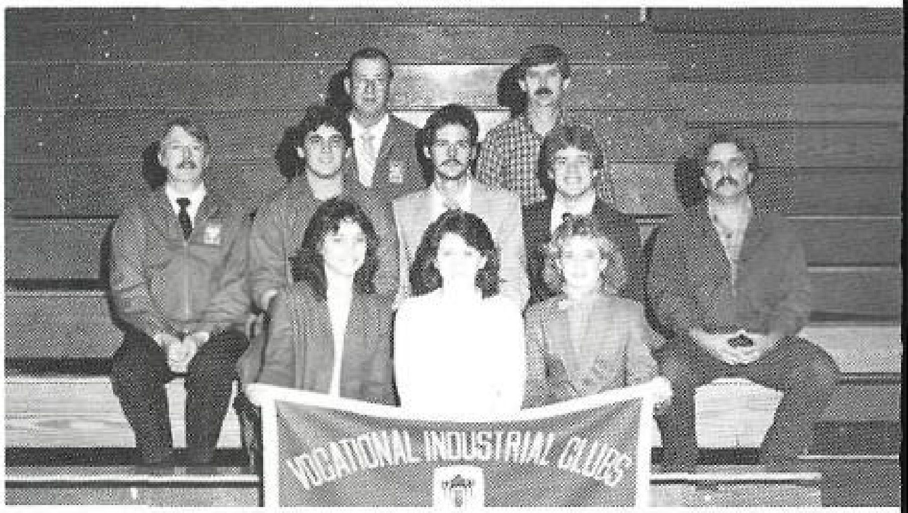
***Time for a Cook-out:** Tonya Smith, Monica Scott, and Mitch Freeman assist Keith Story in preparing food for the bonfire held December 10 at Lisa Spann's home. A bonfire is one of the many activities sponsored by FCA each year.*

***FCA Members: Row 1:** Ed Garner, Kristie Haynes, Lisa Spann, Paige Ward, Teresa Landry, Julie Adcock, Antoinette Cannon, Sandi Johns, Beckie Travis, Jama Whithead, Shannon Hidalgo, Jeff Key.*
***Row 2:** Alan Smith, Lisa Tyson, Tammy Brackney, Greta Hale, LeAnn Harper, Kim Jamison, Paige Stem, Shelly Dodson, Ida Tucker, Stephanie Mingle, Mike Hosford.*
***Row 3:** Mitch Freeman, Mark Pickel, Chris Burke, Kathy Ralston, Randy McGlaun, Jim LeeMaster, Robert Carillon, Hunter Nash.*
***Row 4:** Todd Loggins, Monica Scott, Tonya Smith, Philip Shadowens, Steve Scarlett, Steve Mullins, Jack Hollins, Doug Loux.*
***Row 5:** Baker Raborn, Valerie Tomlin, Teresa Hancock, Kerry Morris, Roy Aldridge.*

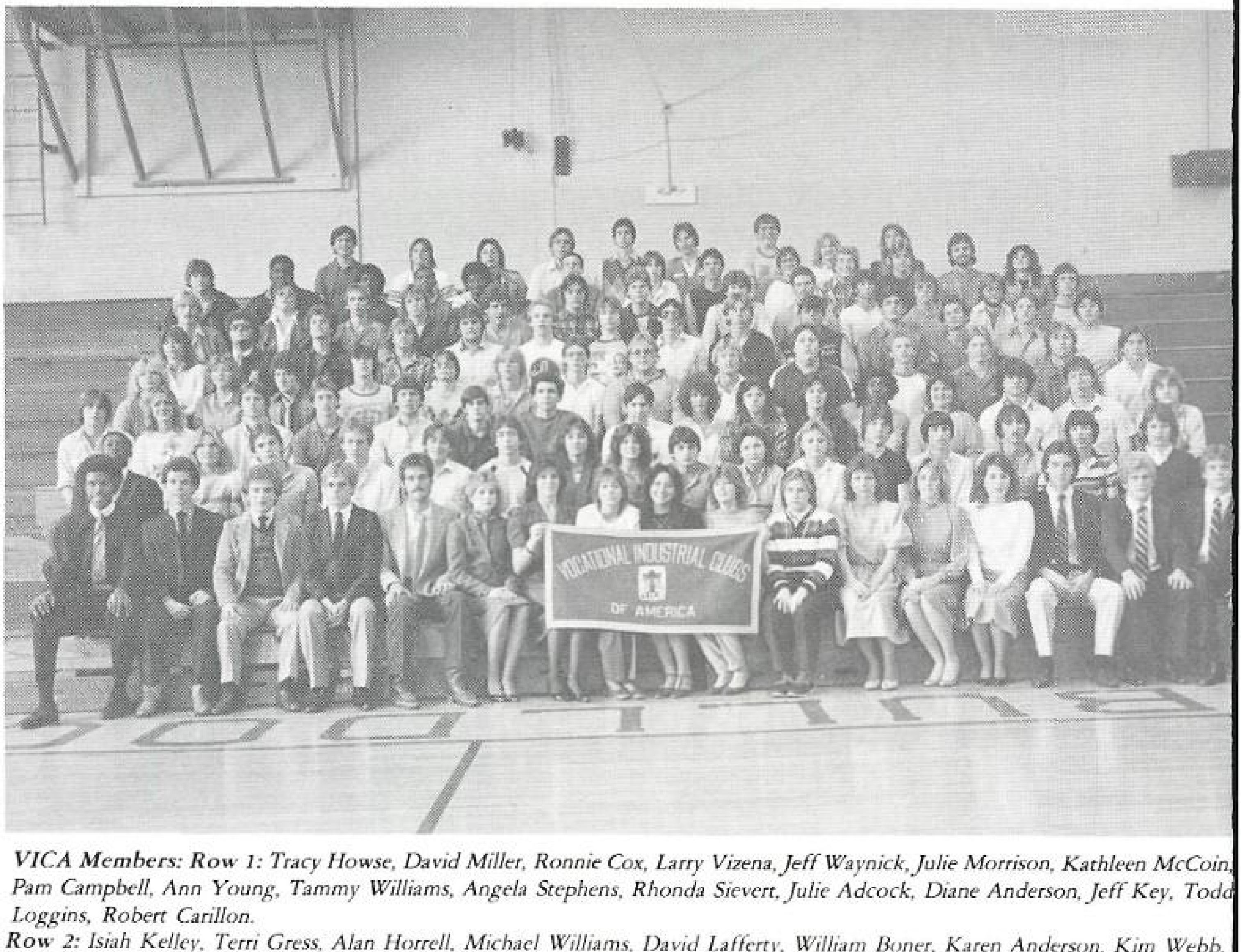
VICA

VICA, under the leadership of Mr. James, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Clark, and Mr. Ralston, strives to prepare students to assume leadership and responsibility in the world of work. To become a member of VICA, a student must be enrolled in a trade or industry class. Some of these classes include drafting, auto mechanics, machine shop, building and trades, air conditioning and refrigeration, and co-op.

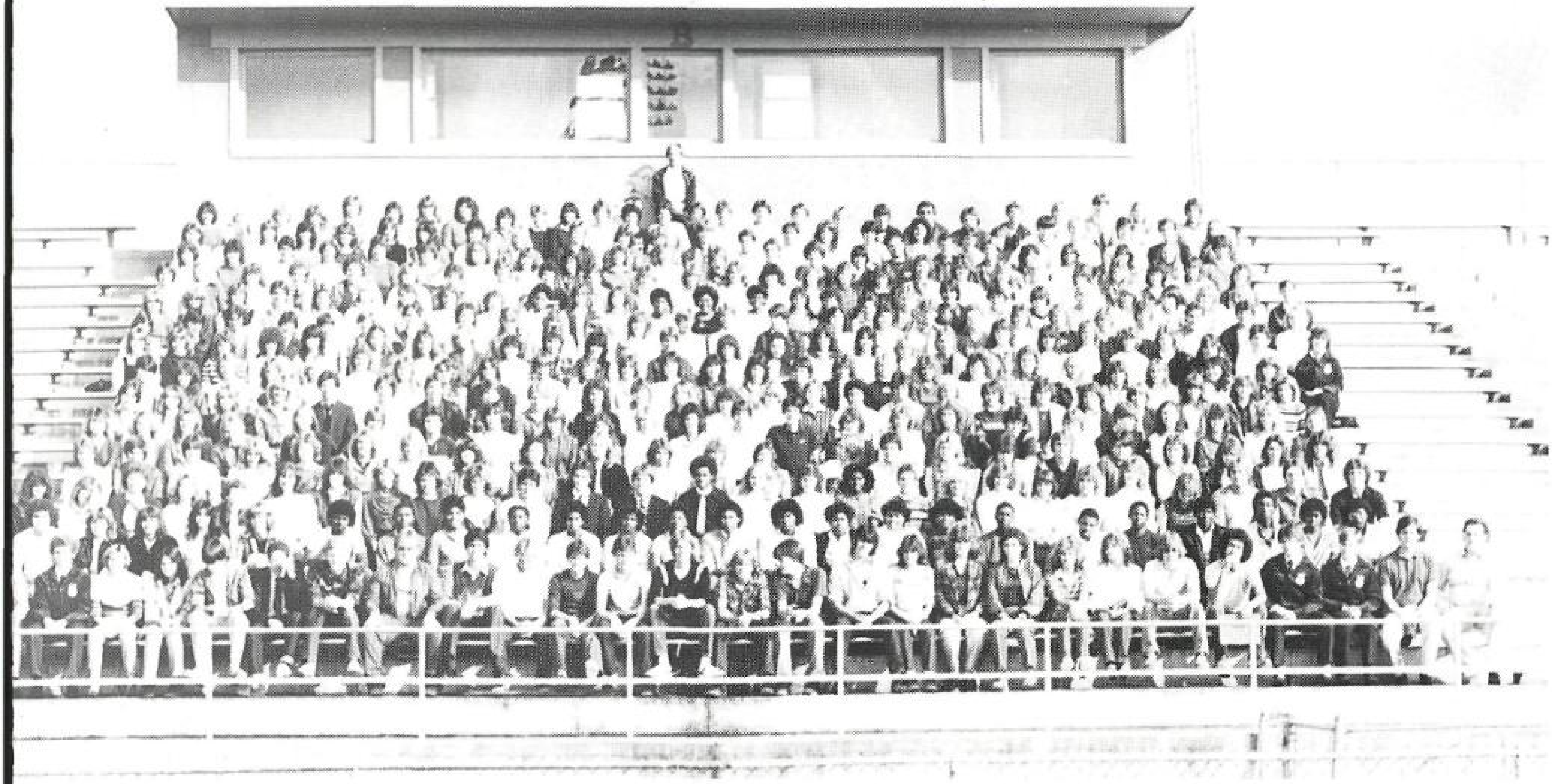
In the fall a cook-out is held, and officers are trained for leadership. In the spring, the students hold a candy sale and go to Opryland. Some members compete in the State Skills contests and attend leadership conventions. They also work with the Jaycees and other civic organizations for community projects.



VICA Officers: Row 1: *Karen Anderson, secretary; Diane Anderson, treasurer; Julie Morrison, reporter.*
Row 2: *Mr. Ralston, sponsor; Bobby Cagle, vice president; Jeff Waynick, president; Robert Carillon, parliamentarian; Mr. Thomas, sponsor.*
Row 3: *Mr. Clark, sponsor; Mr. James, sponsor.*



VICA Members: Row 1: *Tracy Howse, David Miller, Ronnie Cox, Larry Vizena, Jeff Waynick, Julie Morrison, Kathleen McCoin, Pam Campbell, Ann Young, Tammy Williams, Angela Stephens, Rhonda Sievert, Julie Adcock, Diane Anderson, Jeff Key, Todd Loggins, Robert Carillon.*
Row 2: *Isiah Kelley, Terri Gress, Alan Horrell, Michael Williams, David Lafferty, William Boner, Karen Anderson, Kim Webb, Ricky Greer, Cindy Roberts, Robin Sanders, Ricky Turner, Charlie Crocker, Travis Wann, Marty Crocker, Greta Hale.*
Row 3: *Dearyl Barnes, Theresa Barnes, Byron Alsup, David Parrish, Dwayne Tucker, Richie Phelan, Ronnie Reece, Frank Barattiero, Sherry Cropper, Cindy Morgan, Cindy Welch, Janice Taylor, Rhoda Potts, Jay Covington, Mike Parker, Mike Ryan.*
Row 4: *Tammy Crowder, Donna Robertson, Colin Whinnery, Marvin Chaffin, Robert Goins, Stacy Jackson, Chris Bell, Greg Simpson, Reece Anderson, Roy Spain, Billy Gailey, Craig Love, Kevin Piercy, Mark Jones.*
Row 5: *Teresa Willis, Steve Ricketts, Mark Livesay, Mike Burnett, James Victory, Greg Callaway, Brian Brooks, Dale Swain, Lee Spurlock, Charles Walton, Bobby Cagle, Jerry Buchanon, Andy Miller, Scott Comer.*
Row 6: *Charlie Butler, Lee Brown, Van Tenpenny, Brad Sutton, Kenton Friend, John Lusk, Steve Kemp, Ken Hunsicker, Don Frazer, Kevin Bess, Danny Pitts, Mike Nagy, Tommy Tucker.*
Row 7: *Jay Nelson, Duncan Howse, Anthony Simpson, Tommy Way, Joe Hicks, Chris Davis, Gary Boyd, Kevin Babcock, Von Raymer, Tim Brown, Barry Sargent, Jim Ash, Angie Harris.*
Row 8: *Phil Lewis, Marty Edwards, Ed Comer, Jerry Davis, Wally Kennon, Donny Troutman, Bobby Coleman, Kristie Smith, Kathy Shinn.*



Doing What They Do Best. *S.H.S. students are known throughout the county for their school spirit and for their support of all the athletic teams. S.H.S. students demonstrate this spirit at the first Pep Club meeting during which the football team was introduced.*

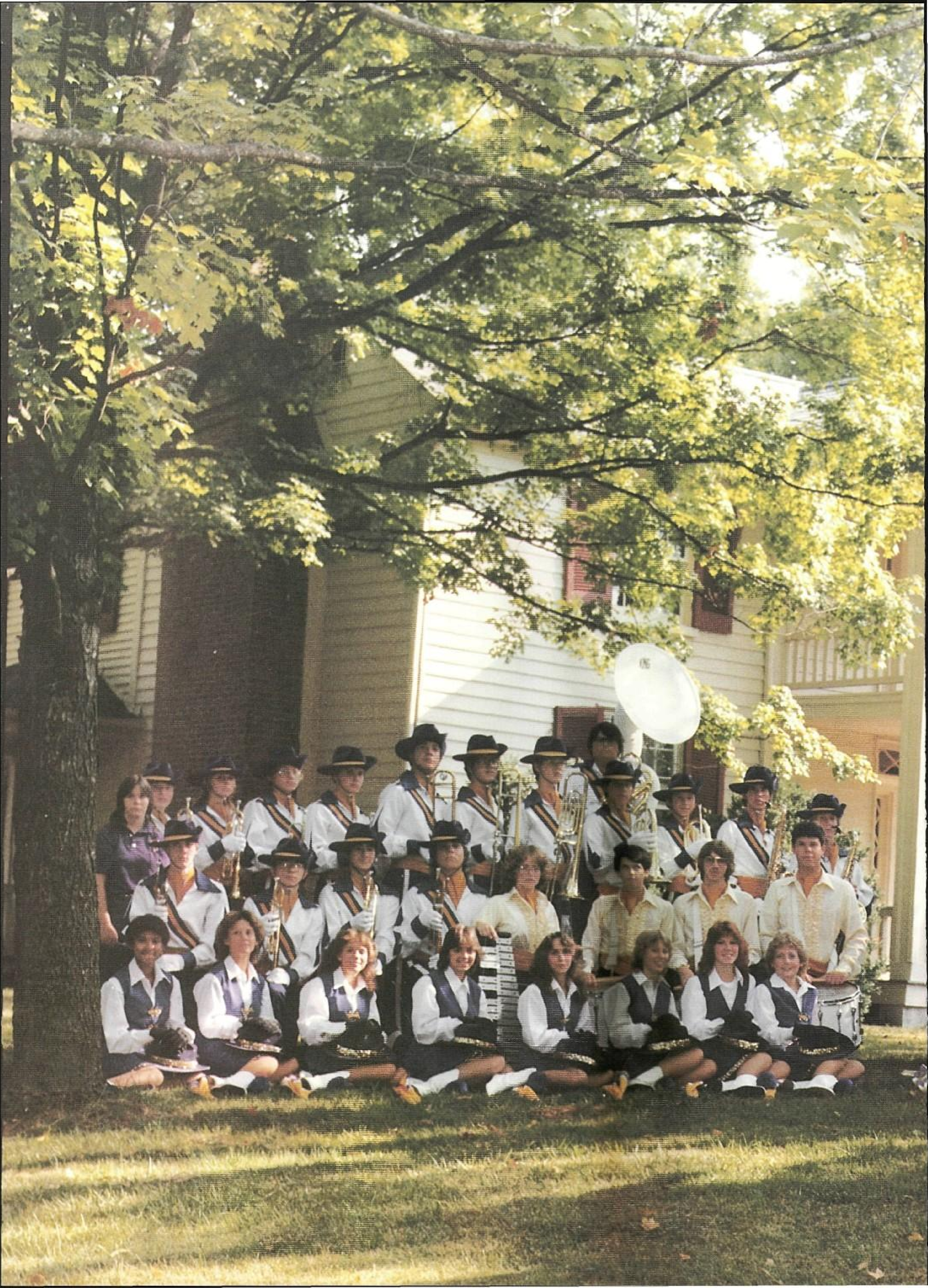
To be a member of the Pep Club, a student must pay his dues and present his card in order to get out of homeroom to attend pep rallies. Students must alo present their cards to board the pep buses free of charge.

The purpose of the Pep Club is to promote bulldog spirit throughout the school. The club supports the teams through their cheering at the pep rallies and games.

The Pep Club is sponsored by Mr. Fred Gibson and Mr. Bobby Mullins.

We've Got the Spirit. *During the first basketball pep rally, a group of Pep Club members voice their approval of the S.H.S. basketball teams.*

PEP CLUB



THE 1983-84 "PRIDE OF SMYRNA" MARCHING BAND

Wood Winds.
Row 1: Debbie Boseman, Sandra Blankenship, Karen Stahr, Debbie Smith.
Row 2: Denise Webb, Zandra Burt, Teresa Bolton, Jennifer Weitemeyer, Chris Warta, Frances Storey.
Row 3: Annette Whited, Lynn Armstrong, Sylvia Malone, Cindy Armstrong, Shelley Tucker, Tiffany Cummins.

Trumpets.
Row 1: Walter Castleberry, Larry Vizena.
Row 2: Steve Hart, Matt King, Jeff McGill, Eddie Hooper, Kim DeLozier, Eddie Paul.

BAND IN ACTION

The Smyrna High School Marching Band has had a very busy schedule for the 1983-84 school year. On September 17 the band attended the Tennessee Valley Invitational in Winchester, and Melanie Glover won the title of Best Drum Major. On September 24 the MTSBOA was held at M.T.S.U. Bands competed for grades, and the S.H.S. band was given a 1 in inspection, a 2 in marching, and a 3 in auxiliary. On October 1 a competition was held in Tullahoma, and on October 15 they competed in the Music City Invitational at Dupont.

Although competition is important, our band also takes pride in serving the community. They have participated in the Old Timers' Parade, played for McDonald's and the elementary schools, and will participate in a bonfire at Wal-Mart. In January the band will have a chili supper, and later in the year they plan to sponsor a carnival.

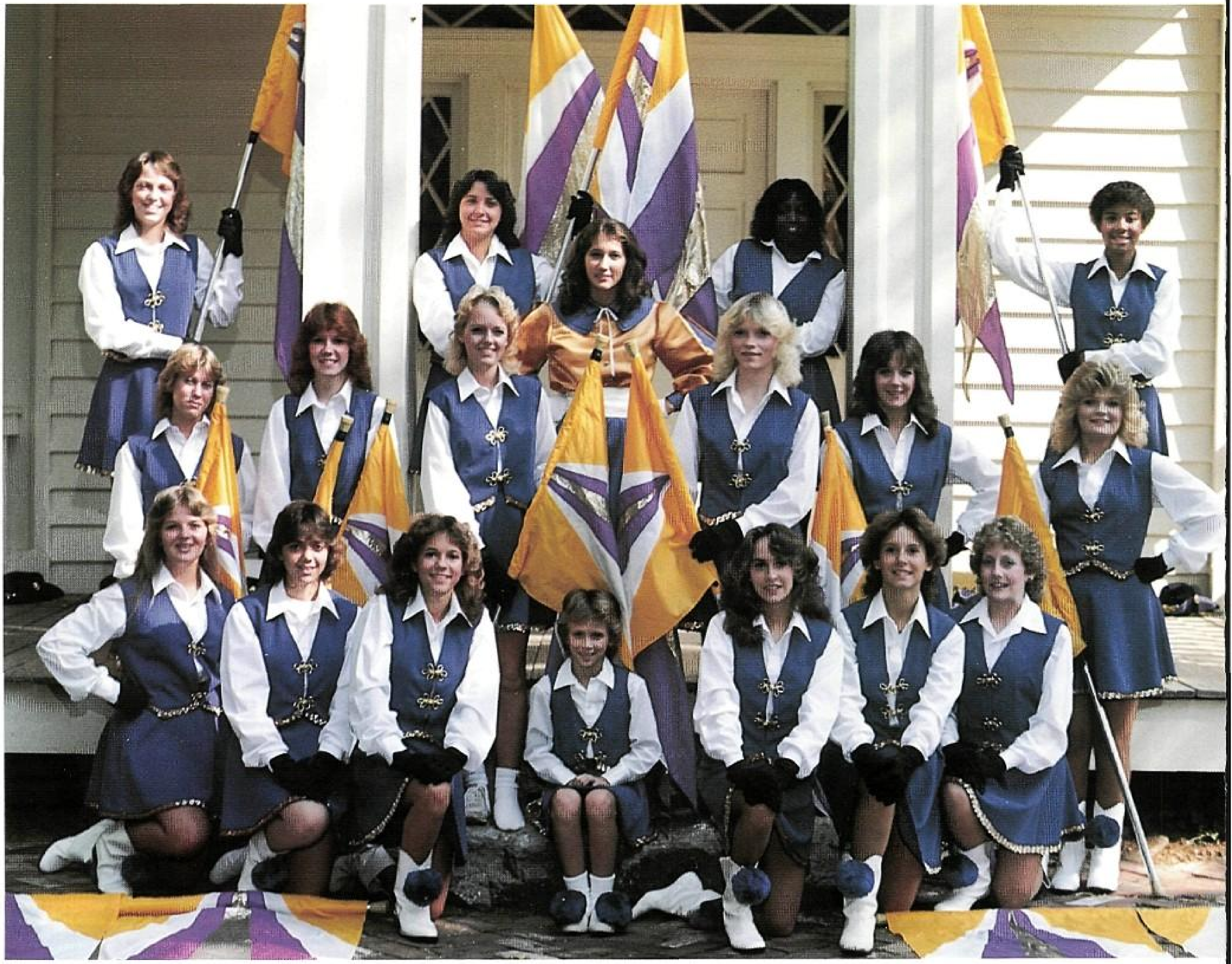
One of the fundraisers that the band will hold will be an October fruit sale. They will take a trip at the end of the school year for a vacation and also for a performance.

In order to accomplish their goals, the band must practice during the summer on Monday through Thursday, eight to ten hours a day, for three weeks. During school they practice on Monday through Thursday from 3:15-5:00. All of the band members have worked hard this year. Mr. Royal, the band director, said, "The officers of the band are fabulous and the best that he has ever worked with. They made my first year go by with super ease."

SMOKE HOUSE

Percussion.
Row 1: Kurt Craig, Dean Mullenax, Jeff Leopard, Andy Noe, Chris Hager, Karen Stover, John Bell.

Low Brass.
Row 1: Mike Jacobs, Dawn Young, Scott Sandlin, Tracey Allen, David McClure, George Anderson, Joe McDuffee, Dana Blair, and manager Gloria Kruse.
Row 2: Chris Grey, Bruce Conklin, Robert McDaniels, Shane Norton.



Smyrna High School Flag Girls.

Row 1: Diane Baker, Debbie Brazelton, Lisa Carillon, Susan Paul, Sherrie Williamson, Marianne Henson, Kathy Walden.

Row 2: Donya Oxley, Regina Swaine, Tonya Miller, Rena Hallum, Gwen Gentry, Kim Crowder.

Row 3: Melanie Puckett, Ann Young, Melanie Glover, Karen Dawson, Stacey Grandieson.

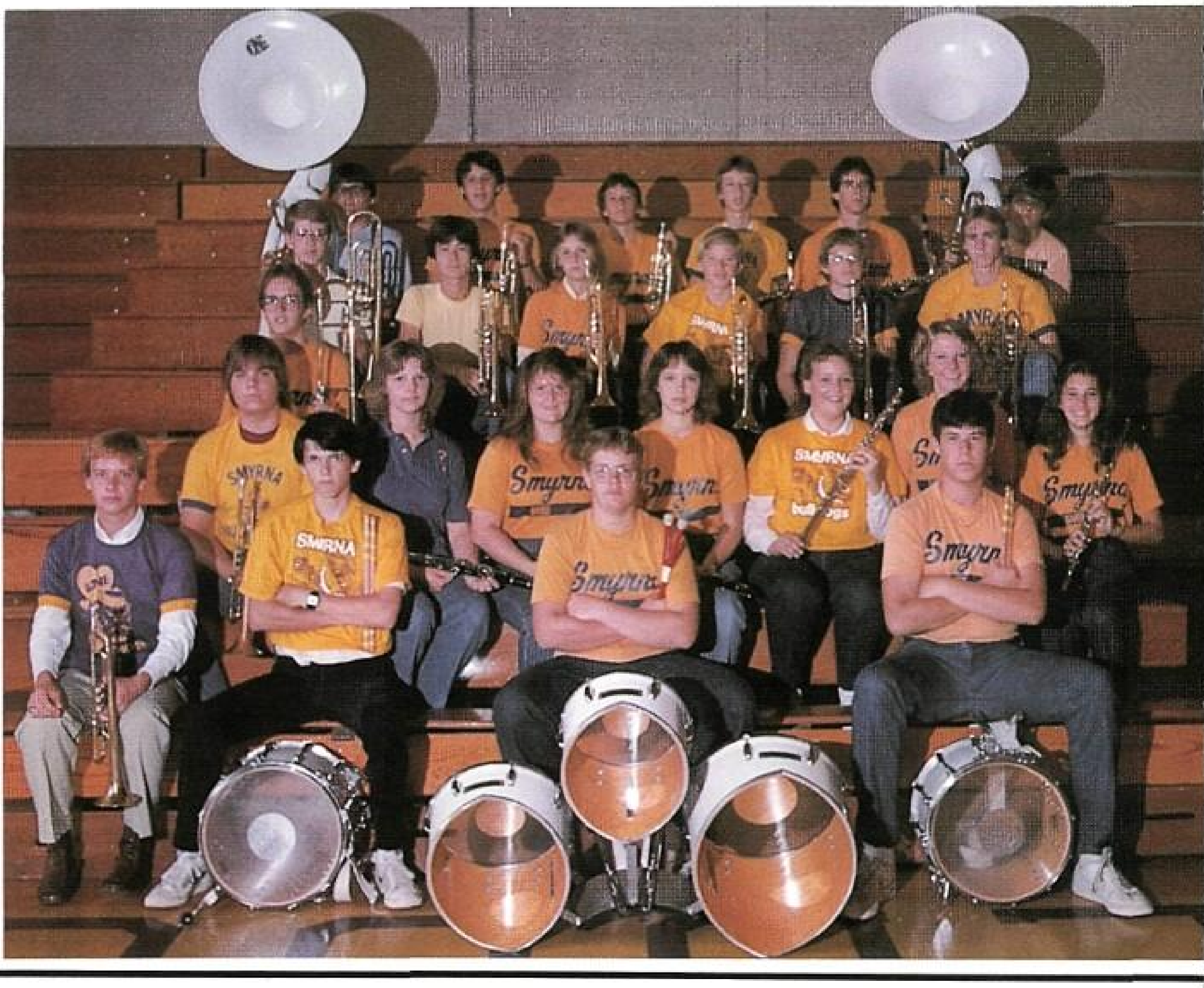
Symrna High School Pep Band.

Row 1: Larry Vizena, Jeff Leapord, Kurt Craig, John Bell.

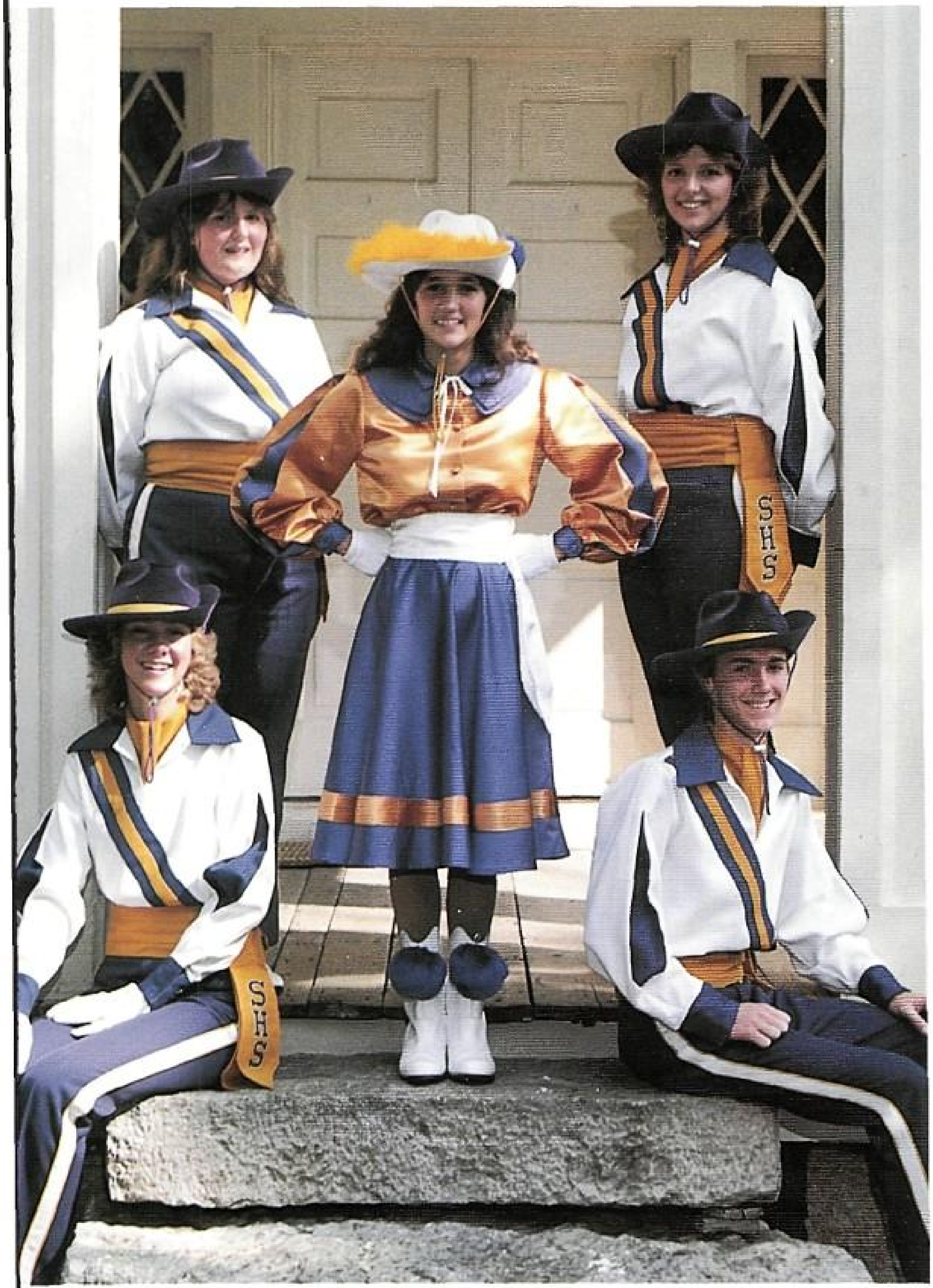
Row 2: Eddie Hooper, Frances Storey, Lynn Armstrong, Shelley Tucker, Julie Towns, Teresa Bolton, Melanie Glover.

Row 3: Tracey Allen, David McClure, Matt King, Kim DeLozier, Jeff McGill, Steve Hart, Eddie Paul.

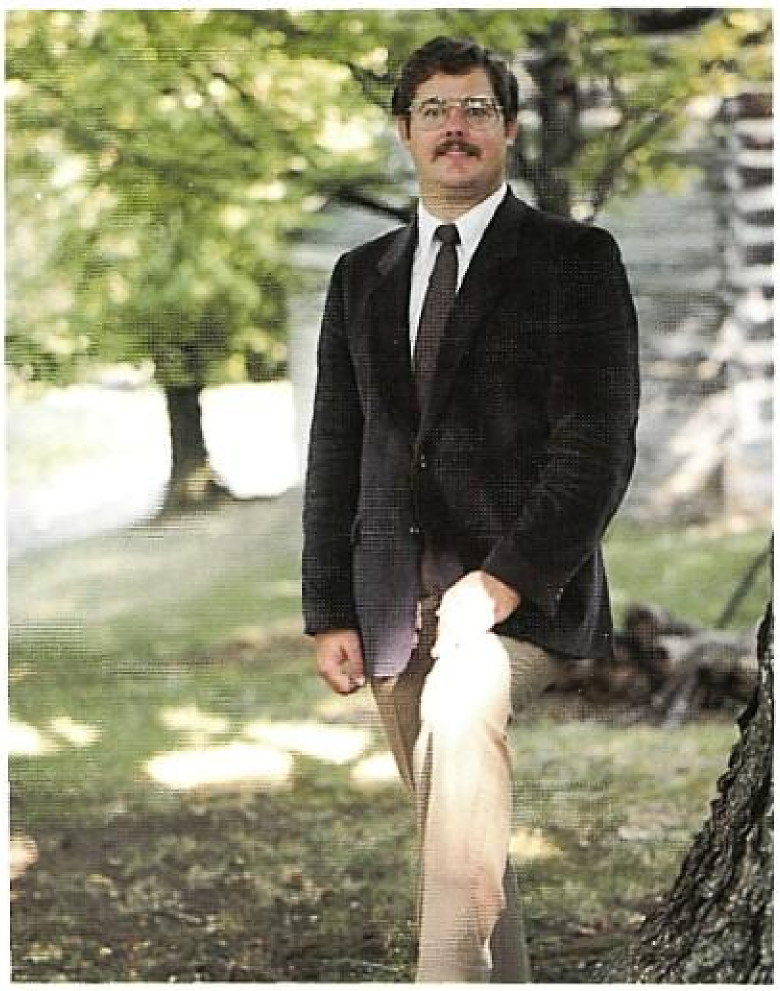
Row 4: Scott Sandlin, Bruce Conklin, Chris Grey, Shane Norton, Dana Clair, George Anderson.



Smyrna High School Marching Band.



Band Officers.
Teresa Bolton, vice-president; Lynn Armstrong, librarian-historian; Melanie Glover, drum major; Frances Storey, secretary; Eddie Paul, president.



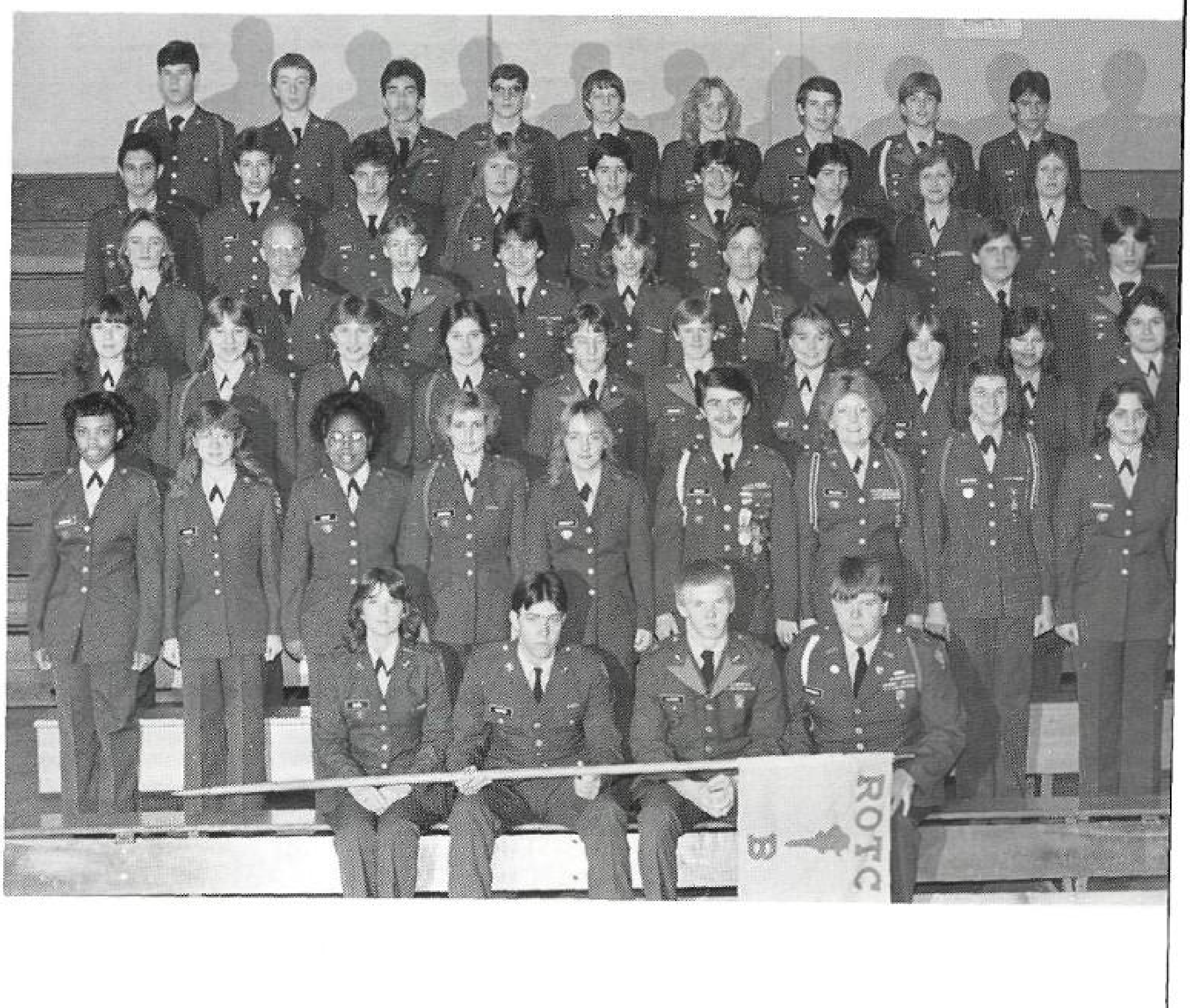
***Band Sponsor.** Mr. Royal*

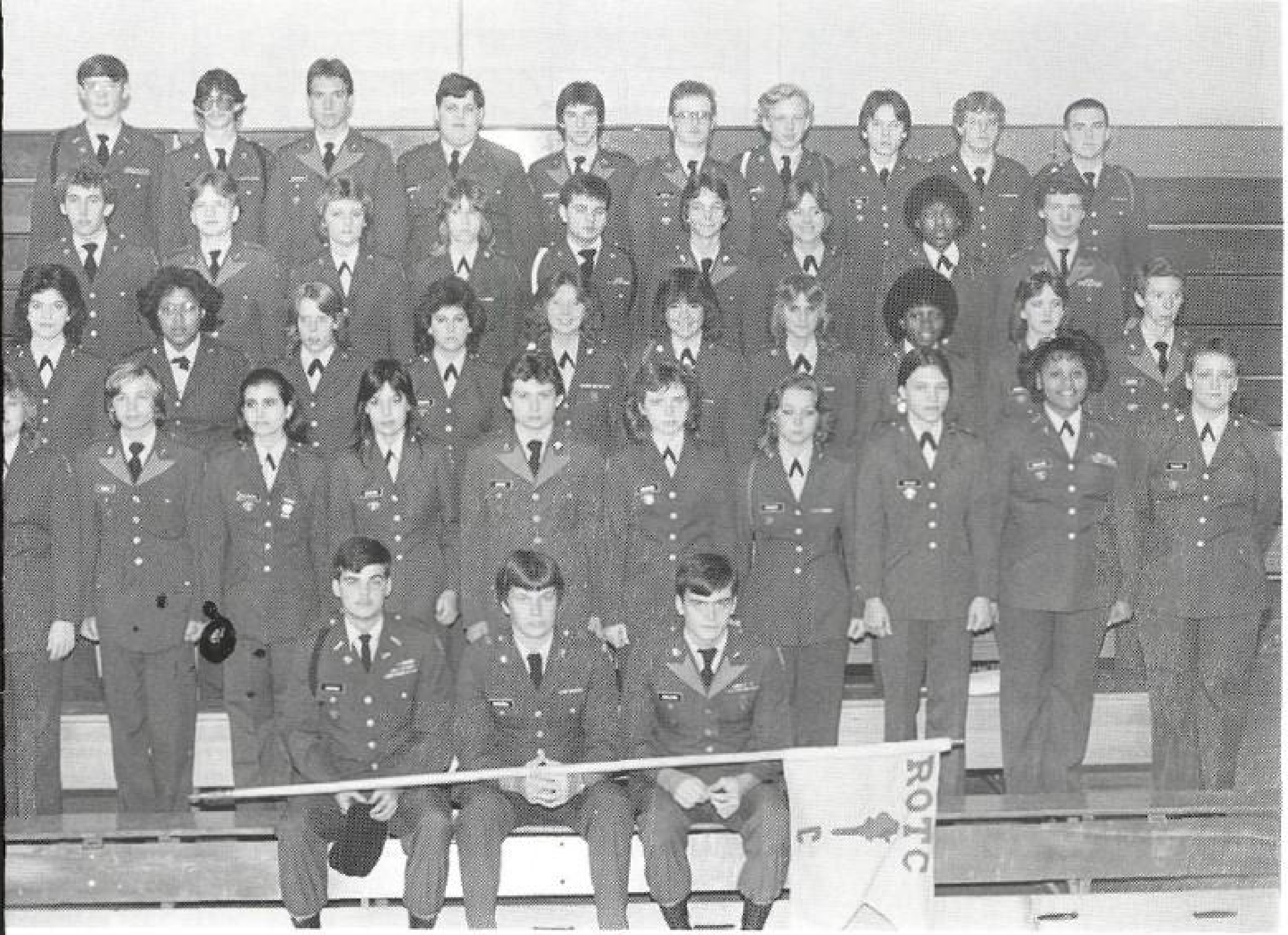
Company A

Members: Row 1: *David Dority, Houston Harrison, Cassandra Skaggs.* **Row 2:** *Tina Herron, Rhonda Crafton, Sonia Grissim, Wendy Scales, Renee Hobbs, Rory Shoemake, Michelle Jones, Jerri Ballard, Ann Young.*
Row 3: *Dennis Suggs, Jon Bond, Lori Bolton, Angie Bean, Donna Gilliland, Edith Weidholz, James Redmond, Joe Edmondson.*
Row 4: *Penny Young, Jerry Gant, Dudley McKnight, Sam Meacham, Tarita Wright, Lisa Henegar, Bruce Conklin, Sandra Dollar.*
Row 5: *Chris Davis, Michelle Young, Brenda Strader, JoAnn Sprague, Carol Selepack, Jess Campbell, Kim Walker, Rachel Tune.*
Row 6: *Darryl Johnson, Richard Tucker, Scott Sandlin, Brian Gosset, Terry Reeves, George Anderson, John Hicks, Robin Finch.*
Row 7: *Mike Simpson, Roy Worthem, Rodney Stults, Steve Bolton, James Mullins, Tom Hayes, Lisa Brim, Michael Everson, Teresa Willis.*

Company B

Members: Row 1: *Lisa Pope, Dennis Murre, John Glasner, Lynn Summers.* **Row 2:** *Kaysha Parrish, Chanda Parker, Phyllis Wade, Jennifer Brooks, Lisa Rowlett, Quint Bogle, Kathy Walden, Juanita Worthem, Deborah Brazelton.* **Row 3:** *Teresa Chaffin, Christie Herzberg, Leslie Shackelford, Marlene McDonald, Mike Jacobs, Johnny Gaughan, Missy Bebout, Gloria Kruse, Melissa Carlson, Elizabeth Simpson.* **Row 4:** *Carrie Knight, Jason Taylor, Bradley Stymacks, Chris Dunn, Michelle Duke, Susan Patton, Karen Dawson, John Rice, Rick Turner.* **Row 5:** *David Licon, James McGhee, Rod Roberts, Cindy Clark, Tim Morris, Clay Adcock, Greg Wilson, Kim Paison, Kerri Parman.*
Row 6: *John Bell, Gary West, David Martin, Bret Spitzer, Mark Chesbro, Merri Parman, Willie Loyd, Scott Smith, Kurt Miller.*





Company C

Members: Row 1: *Curtis Ashton, Steven Russell, Bobby Mullins.*
Row 2: *Kim Crowder, Daniel Plain, Angela Orlando, Kerri Steven, Bret Davis, Rhonda Hooper, Connie Hadley, Michelle Tetley, Cynthia Butler, Julie Towns.*
Row 3: *Becky Cook, Marquinta Richardson, Tammy Haven, Dana Maupin, Renee Braswell, Judy Watson, Davida Burton, Antoinette Wade, Sue Morrow, Erik Lehto.*
Row 4: *Charles Ogelvie, Lester Turner, Margaret Westmoreland, Robin Pollard, Lee Reeves, Randy Grubbs, Amy Hogan, Jackie Tatum, Kent Kelch.*
Row 5: *Scott Hatcher, Dale Swain, Robert McDaniels, John Lawrence, Tim Shoulders, Curtis Smith, Tim Simpson, Eddie Beal, Kurt Craig, Don Hardeman.*

The 1983-84 R.O.T.C. class of Smyrna High School is under the leadership of Colonel Sims and Sergeant Blinn. The class strives to gain leadership qualities and the ability to communicate with others. The members of this organization are under no obligation to join senior R.O.T.C. or the United States Army.

Annual Formal Inspection is conducted by either a team of active duty officers and non commissioned officers from the R.O.T.C. headquarters or senior R.O.T.C. units. They are judged on the basis of leadership development and receive ratings of satisfactory or unsatisfactory.

Commanders. *Colonel Sims, Sergeant Blinn.*
ROTC Staff. *Tony Carbonari, Renee Robinson, Charlie Goodloe, Tom Rowlett, Yvonne Helton, Jay Perry.*

ROTC

Rangers

Members: Row 1: *Charlie Goodloe, Tony Carbonari, Darren Clark, Bobby Mullins, Tom Rowlett.*
Row 2: *Tom Hayes, Dennis Murre, Don Hardeman, Tim Morris, Clay Adcock, Jon Bond, Lee Reeves.*
Row 3: *Scott Hatcher, Rodney Stults, Brent Spitzer, John Hamilton, Chris Davis, Kevin Babcock, Curtis Ashton, James McGhee, David Licon.*

Rifle Team

Members. *Scott Smith, Quint Bogle, Sergeant Blinn, Denise Webb, Lori Bolton.*

Color Guard

Members: Row 1: *Brenda Strader, Kim Walker, Ann Young, Renee Braswell.*
Row 2: *Charlie Goodloe, Jay Perry, John Hamilton, Tom Rowlett.*
Row 3: *Rex Wall, Kevin Babcock, Johnny Thompson, Darry Johnson, John Bell.*

Female Drill Team

Members. Row 1: *Kim Walker, Ann Young.*
Row 2: *Judy Watson, Marlene McDonald, Jennifer Brooks, Sandra Dollar, Sonia Grissim, Cassandra Skaggs.*
Row 3: *Cindy Clark, JoAnn Sprague, Juanita Worthem, Christy Herzberg, Karen Dawson, Rhonda Bean, Jerri Ballard.*

Drum and Bugle Corps

Members. Row 1: *James Redmond, Kurt Craig.*
Row 2: *Tim Simpson, Eddie Beal, Kirk Miller, Bruce Conklin, Dennis Suggs, Juanita Worthem, Jon Bond, Karrie Stevens.*

Orienteering

Members. Row 1: *Charlie Goodloe, Tom Rowlett, Don Hardeman, Lee Reeves, Renee Braswell, Tony Carbonari.*
Row 2: *Mark Chesbro, Chris Davis, Scott Hatcher, John Hamilton, Darryl Johnson.*

Male Drill Team

Members. Row 1: *David Dority, Houston Harrison.* ***Row 2:*** *Greg Wilson, Roy Worthem, Dave Martin, John Bell, John Hamilton, Jerry Gann, Jason Taylor.*

Traffic Detail

Members. Row 1: *Jay Perry, Susan Patton.* ***Row 2:*** *Lee Reeves, Don Hardeman, Tim Simpson, Chris Davis, Bruce Conklin, JoAnn Sprague, Kathy Walden.*

Softball

Members. Row 1: *Lynn Summers, Kathy Walden, John Glasner.*
Row 2: *Margaret Westmoreland, Jerry Gann, Juanita Worthem, Christy Herzberg, JoAnn Sprague, Judy Watson, Leslie Shackelford, Jerri Ballard, Cassandra Skaggs.*
Row 3: *Dale Swain, Roy Worthem, Dennis Murre, Tim Simpson, James McGhee, David Licon, Yvonne Helton, Tim Morris, Susan Patton.*

1983 ROTC QUEEN AND COURT

Kassie Stack	*Missy Bebout*	*Carol Selepack*
Queen	*Junior Attendant*	*Sophomore Attendant*

Row 1: *Jim Rippy, Felipe McCullough, Trevor Rifkin, Chris Stanley.*
Row 2: *Wanda Loyd, Sharon Prosser, Tom Rowlett, president; Mrs. Pineault, Stacey Grandieson, secretary-treasure Ginger Gammons, Cassandra Skaggs.*
Row 3: *Sherry Prosser, Troy Ruth, Bill Shasbono, Bubba Roberts, sophomore vice president; Brenda Strader, Jame Mullins, junior vice-president; LaTonya Turner, William Heaton, David Tenpenny.*

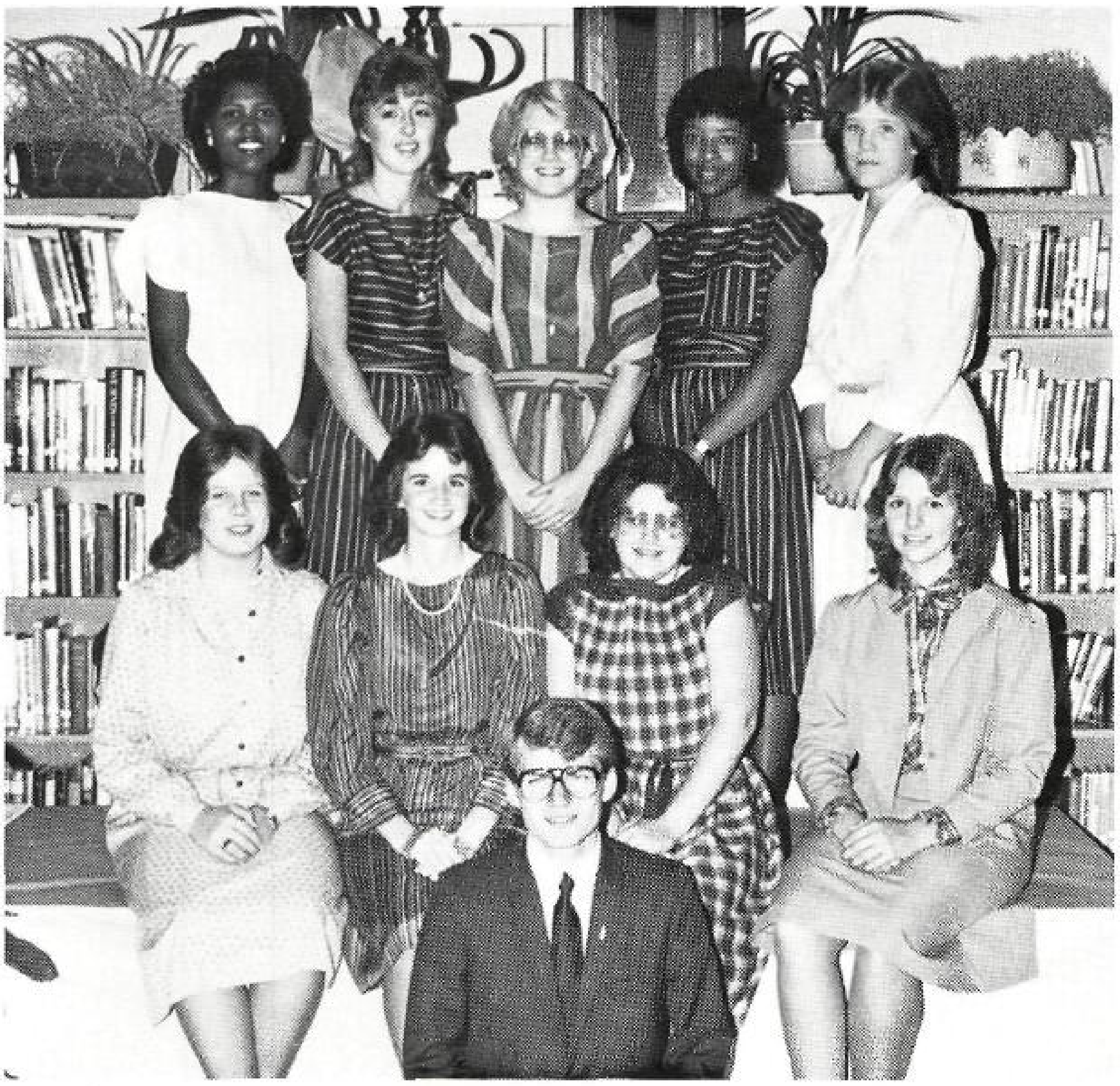
4-H CLUB

The 4-H Club, under the leadership of Mrs. Pineault, works to encourage and promote leadership, self-motivation, and community service within the member. Many of the students do individual projects. Each year the club participates in county, regional, and state contests.

TEACHERS' AIDES

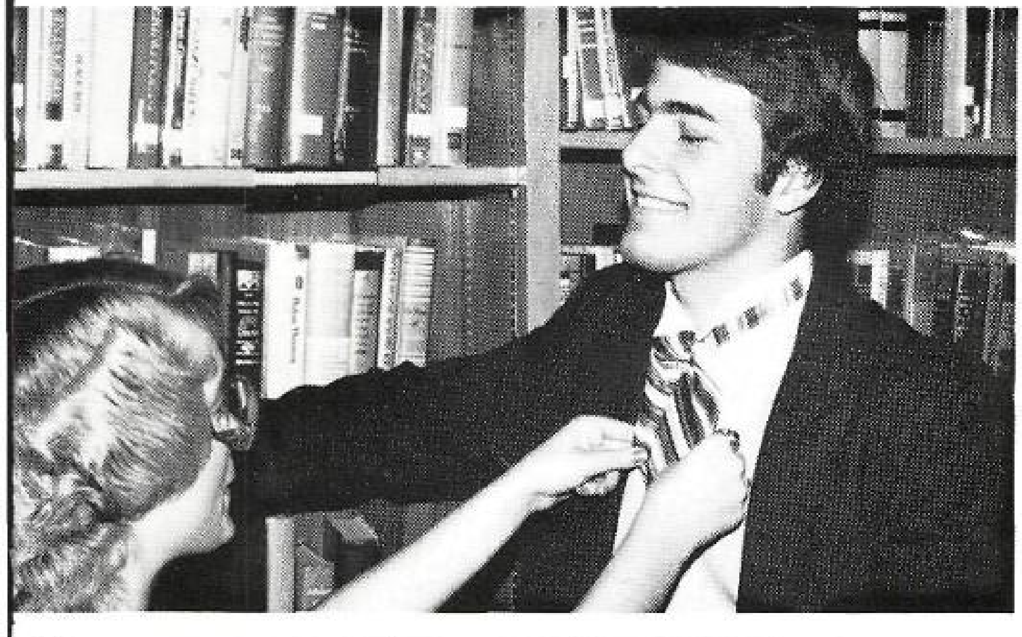
Teachers have the option of choosing a senior to serve as an aide. For one hour each day, these students assist the teachers by grading papers, designing and putting up bulletin boards, running errands, and doing light cleaning around the room. In return for these services, a teacher's aide receives one credit toward his graduation requirements.

Row 1: *Diane Griffin, Donna Wilson, Kelly Wray, LeeAnn Aldridge, Renee Robinson, Michelle Mastin, Melanie Mingle, Karen Stover.*
Row 2: *Doris Prosser, Amy Jones, Jamie Naron, Don Johnson, Tina Dinger, Melanie Pharris.*
Row 3: *Suzy Russell, Susan Patton, Michael Crocker, Trevor Rifkin, Mark Pickel, Mitch Freeman.*
Row 4: *Teresa McClain, Kim Paul, Jim Rippy, Frances Storey, Dean Mullenax, Tracey Howse, Charlie Goodloe, Tony Cook.*



LIBRARY WORKERS

Library Workers: Row 1: *Dean Mullenax.*
Row 2: *Kerri Parman, Jennifer Weitemeyer, Wanda Loyd, Frances Storey.*
Row 3: *Bonita Malone, Andrea McBrayar, Janet Baine, Valerie Malone, Shannon Byers.*
Library Day. *During Library Day, Janet Baine assists Mitch Freeman with his tie before his appearance on stage.*
Librarian: *Mrs. Cooper.*
Posting Current News. *One of the many duties of the library workers is to keep current news items and decorations on the bulletin board at the intersection. Valerie Malone is shown putting up an announcement about the Nancy O'Quinn Benefit given by local bands.*



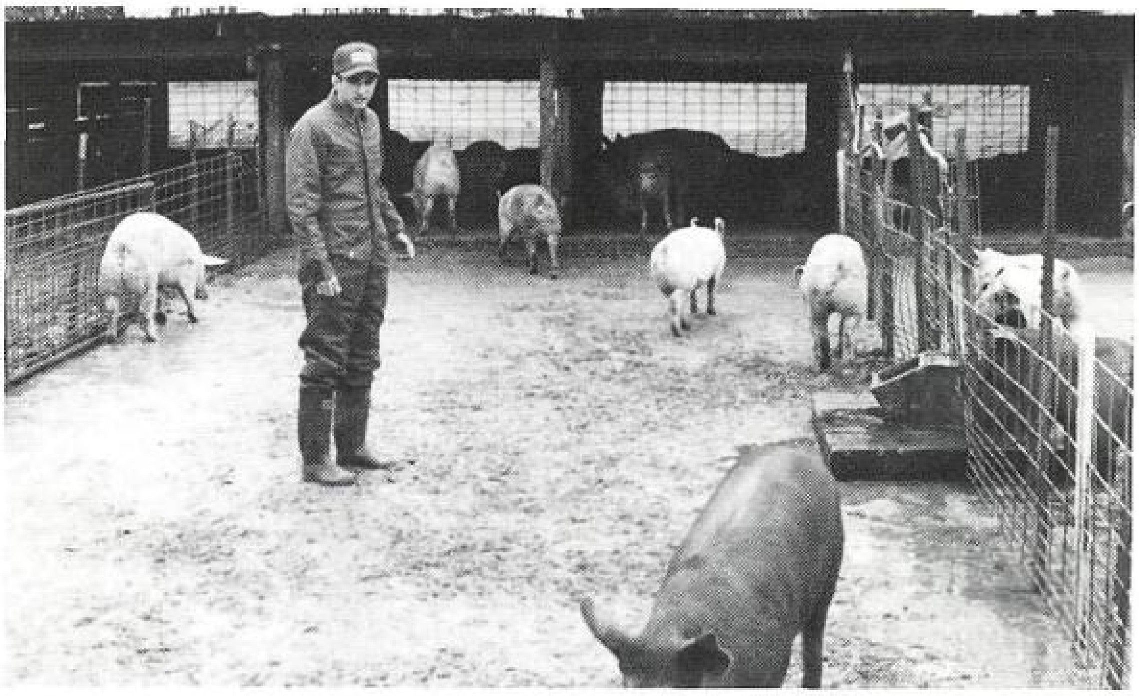
Our Library Makes House Calls

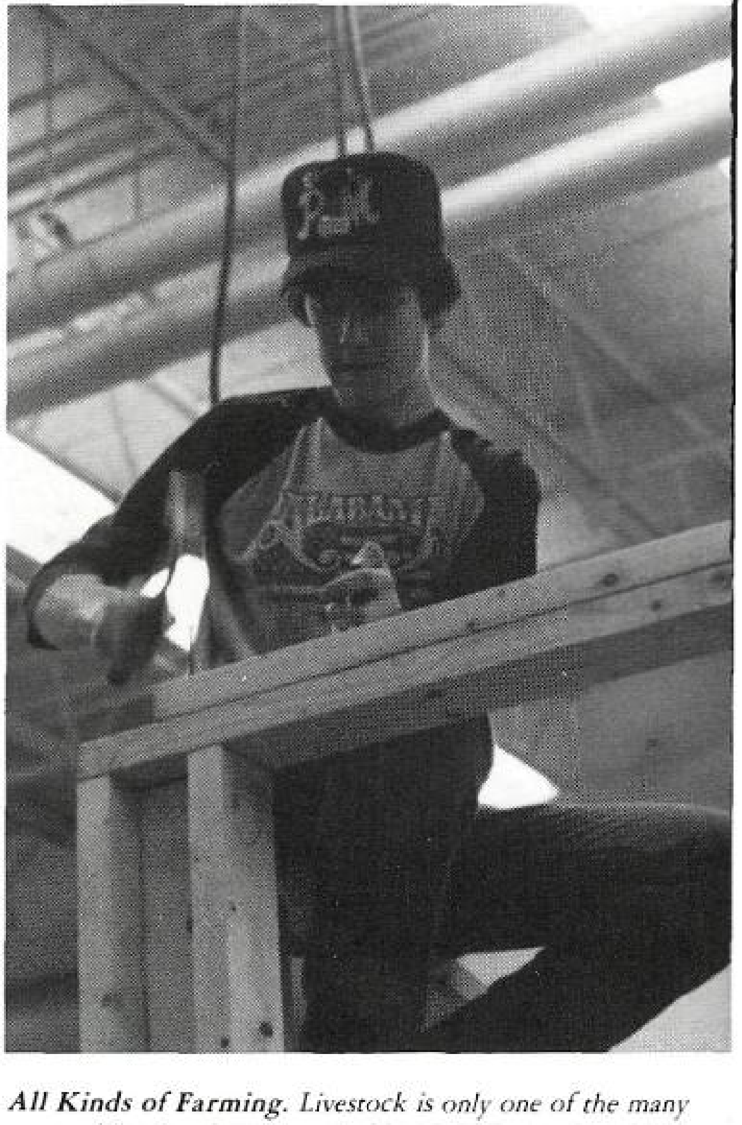
Mrs. Cornelia Cooper, our school librarian, and her library aides assist students daily. Our school library tries to have books or activities that will interest all S.H.S. students. These activities include taking care of all library materials, assisting students and teachers in finding special research information, making available to everyone the most recent information and ideas, and providing entertainment.

During the year, the library staff takes pride in presenting cultural and entertaining events for S.H.S. students and teachers. One of the highlights of the year was the fall fashion event, "Putting on the Ritz," hosted by the library on October 19, 1983. Students and library alike "Put on the Ritz." Mrs. Cooper and her aides worked for weeks, planning this event. Between the hours of 10:30 and 1:00, everyone was treated to a demonstration on correct table etiquette, a facial and hair presentation, and a fashion show. Mrs. Cooper and the library workers were assisted by Mrs. Smithson, several students, The Red Apple, and Mitchell's of Hickory Hollow.

FFA Members. Row 1: *Chris Stanley, Houston Harrison, James Duff.*
Row 2: *Darrell Neal, Rania Feingold, Sandra Dollar, James Thomas, Mark Davis, Phil Redfield, Greg Rhodes, Rex Wall, Mr. Whitworth, Tony Brewer, Tommy Gentry, Carren Leckie, Chris Gray, Jay Boner.*
Row 3: *Charles Goodloe, Jesse Campbell, Jerry Gann, Kelly Simpson, Regina Wright, James Mullins, Eddie Paul, Steve Ricketts, Thomas Rowlett, David Tenpenny, Lyn Gilliland, Genia Ellis, Wendy Sikes, Darren Clark.*

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA
SMYRNA





Future Farmers of America is a national organization for students who are involved in the agriculture and horticulture classes. FFA's primary aims are to develop leadership skills, cooperation, and good citizenship qualities within the members of the club. FFA is the oldest of vocational student organizations with 1928 being the year it was founded.

Students participate in various contests in which they display the skills learned in class. Some of these skills are parliamentary procedure, public speaking, and live animal evaluation. The floriculture contests include categories of flower arranging, plant indentification, and plant potting. Students also exhibit their own livestock in various shows. FFA members also compete to win local, state, and national awards based on their over all involvement and participation.

All Kinds of Farming. *Livestock is only one of the many types of farming that are studied in FFA. Thomas Rowlett is pictured observing the action of the hogs that he is using in his FFA project.*
Serving the Public. *David Tenpenny, along with his other classmates, helps a local farmer. The class is building an outdoor shed which will be given to a local farmer as a public service project.*

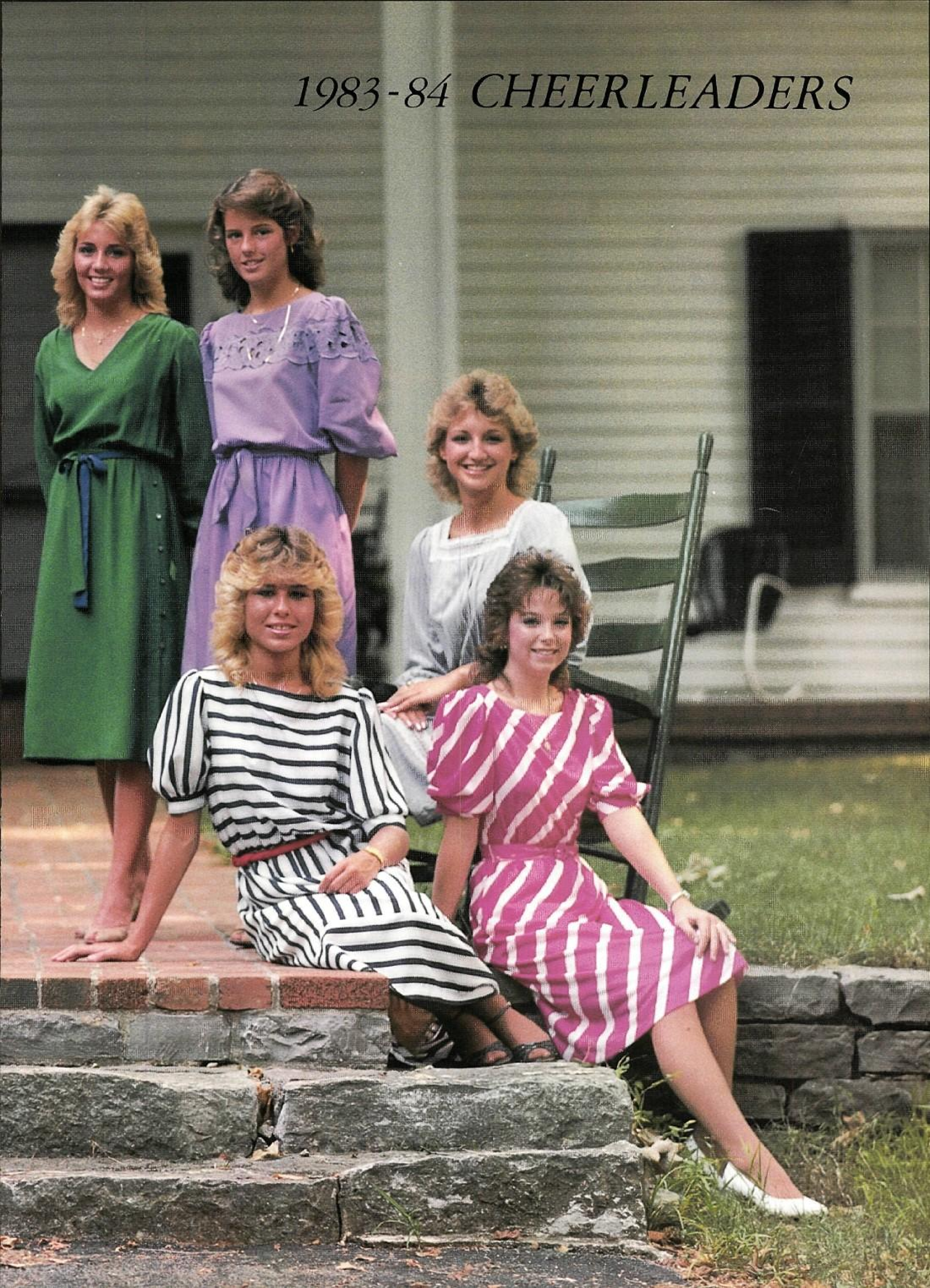
FFA

The Botanical Garden of SHS. *In the SHS greenhouse, FFA members apply the skills they have learned to grow beautiful plants even in the winter months.*

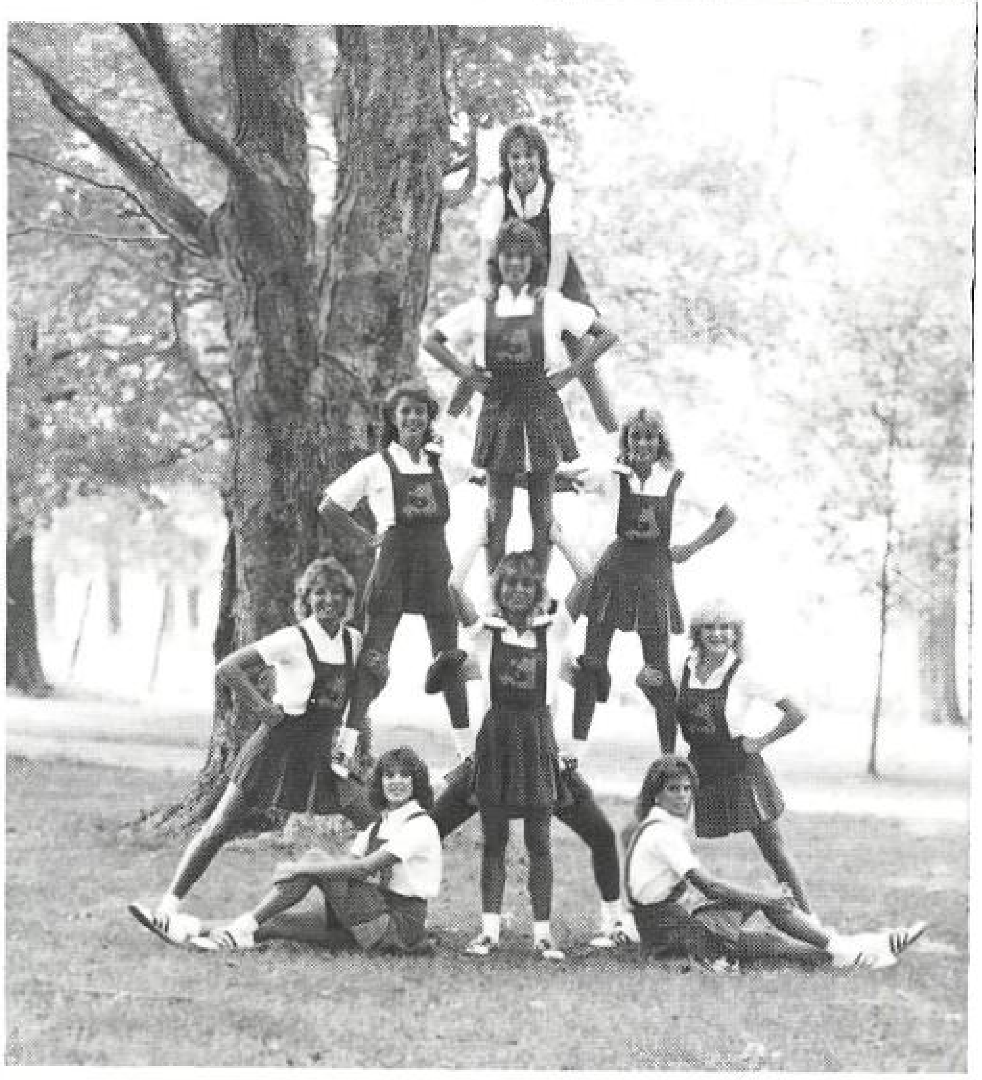
ONE-NINETY
ALLIS-CHALMERS
LANDHANDLER

FFA Officers. *James Mullins, treasurer; Eddie Paul, first vice president; Steve Ricketts, sentinel; Thomas Rowlett, president; David Tenpenny, second vice president; Lyn Gilliland, secretary; Genia Ellis, reporter; Mr. Whitworth, sponsor.*

1983-84 CHEERLEADERS



Cheerful Conversation. *Having an entertaining conversation with Tracy Howse, Valerie Tomlin is caught by the photographer between classes.*
Proud Sponsor. *Displaying the grand championship trophy won at camp by her 1983 cheerleaders, Mrs. Russell exhibits a tremendous amount of pride.*
Winning Pyramid. *This eye catching pyramid won top honors at the University of Vanderbilt's ICF Camp for the 1983 cheerleaders.*



Best Friends. *Having a laugh before loading the pep bus, Teresa Landry, Paige Ward, and Julie Adcock pep themselves up for the first away game.*
Phoning A Friend. *While at camp, Beckie Travis makes an important phone call while Stephanie Mingle and Katie Bannister listen.*

Warm Welcome. *Greeting everyone with a big smile, Kim Percha and Stephanie Mingle assist the sophomores into the auditorium for the speech by Mr. Raikes on orientation day at school.*

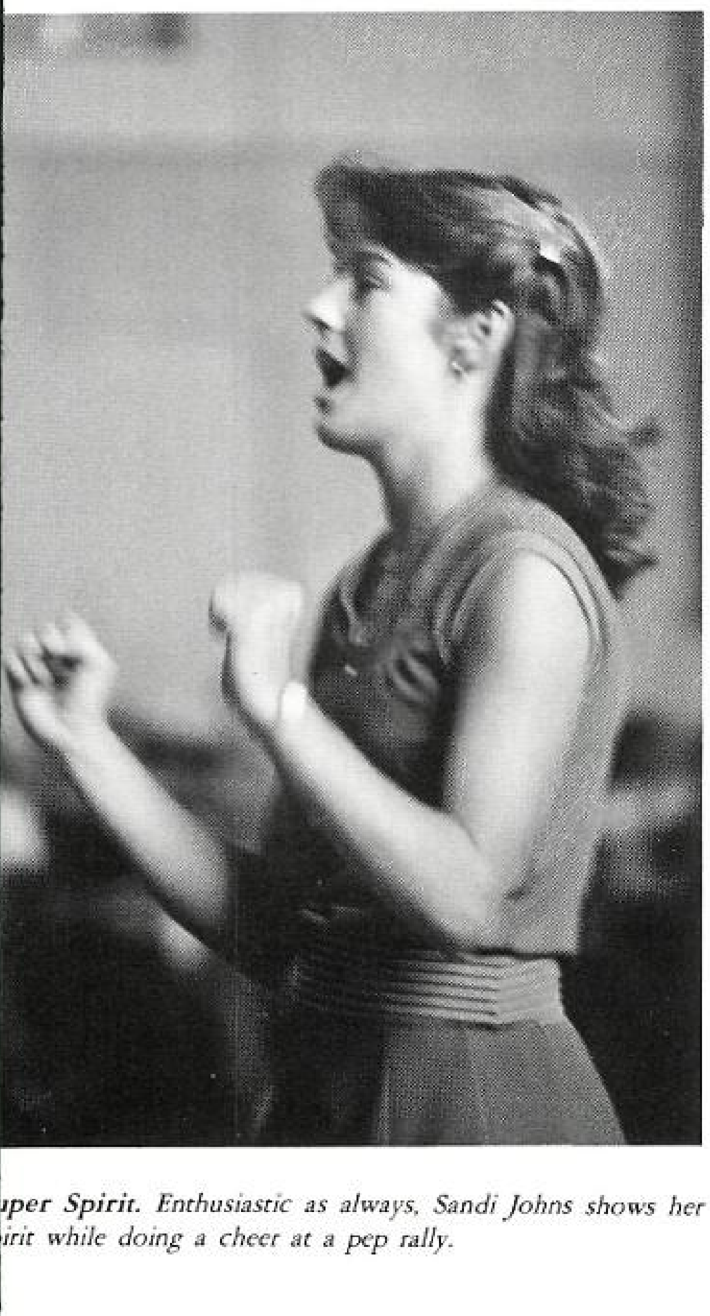
Listening Attentively. *The cheerleaders listen attentively as instructions are given regarding the cheerleading clinic held for little girls.*

Furry Friend. *Antoinette Cannon looks to her cuddly friend for support while at camp.*

FRIENDS FOREVER

The 1983-84 cheerleaders feel that they have accomplished much this year. Not only do they take pride in their cheering, but they also are very proud of the unity and friendships that they have established with each other. They spend a tremendous amount of time together, working and planning activities. They have shared the excitement of victory along with the disappointments of failure and supported each other through all. This element of sharing also involves sharing the work load. This work load includes decorating the locker rooms before games, putting up spirit posters, planning exciting pep rallies, and, of course, cheering the bulldog team to victory. The cheerleaders also plan parties for the football players, visit the Smyrna Nursing Home, and are all active members of the Smyrna Beautification Committee, which helps keep the community neat and clean.

The cheerleaders spend many hours planning and working toward perfection. Their summer practice sessions began at seven a.m. every morning and lasted for two hours. These practice sessions were devoted to getting the girls ready for summer camp and for the busy school year ahead. After the school year began, their practices were limited to an hour every day. This time was used for building pyramids, perfecting floor cheers, and sharpening their tumbling skills.



uper Spirit. *Enthusiastic as always, Sandi Johns shows her irit while doing a cheer at a pep rally.*

1983 ICF GRAND CHAMPION CHEERLEADERS

The 1983-84 Smyrna High School cheerleaders, sponsored by Mrs. Russell, consist of three seniors and seven juniors. Their summer was filled with activities, one of which was cheerleading camp.

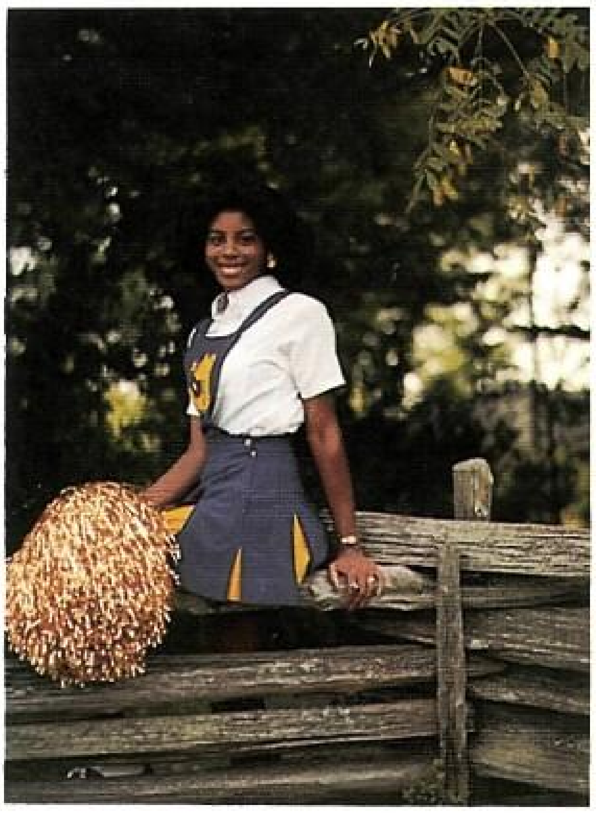
The cheerleading camp was held from July 10 to July 13 at Vanderbilt University. Each morning ten sleepy cheerleaders rose from their beds at 5:30 to practice routines. They usually ended their practice at 10:30 each night. Competition involved thirty squads from Alabama, Kentucky, and Tennessee.

Ribbons were awarded in various categories throughout the four day camp. Our cheerleaders won the pyramid, gymnastics, and double stunts ribbon, the creativity ribbon, and two overall excellence ribbons.

On July 13, S.H.S. cheerleaders competed to qualify for the Grand Champion finals. They were one of five squads to qualify. They then competed against these four squads. The highlight of the camp was the moment that the S.H.S. cheerleaders were announced as the recipients of the camp's top honor — the International Cheerleading Foundation Grand Champion award. Much of this is due to their squad unity which increased during camp and to their gymnastic abilities.

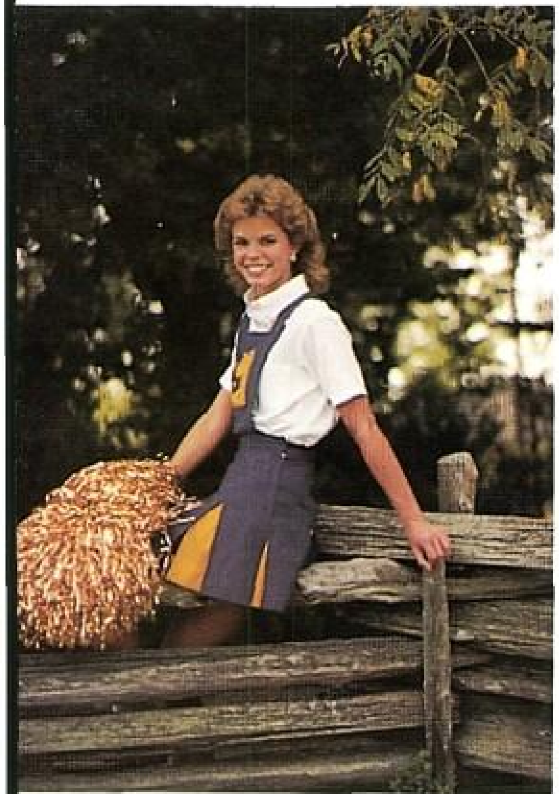
After camp the cheerleaders held as a fundraiser a clinic for younger girls interested in cheerleading. This was held August 2-August 4, and there were sixty participants. The squad taught the girls cheers, chants, gymnastics, and double stunts. Other fundraisers were doughnut sales and candy sales.

The cheerleaders are now competing for the Grand Nationals. They have compiled a scrapbook displaying squad unity, community, and school activities. This scrapbook will be judged in the spring.

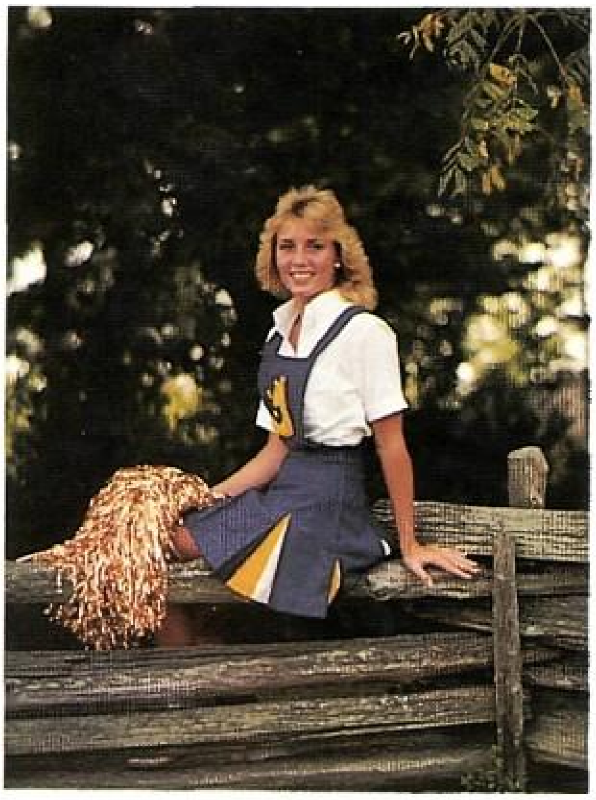


Antoinette Cannon, captain
Mrs. Melinda Russell, sponsor

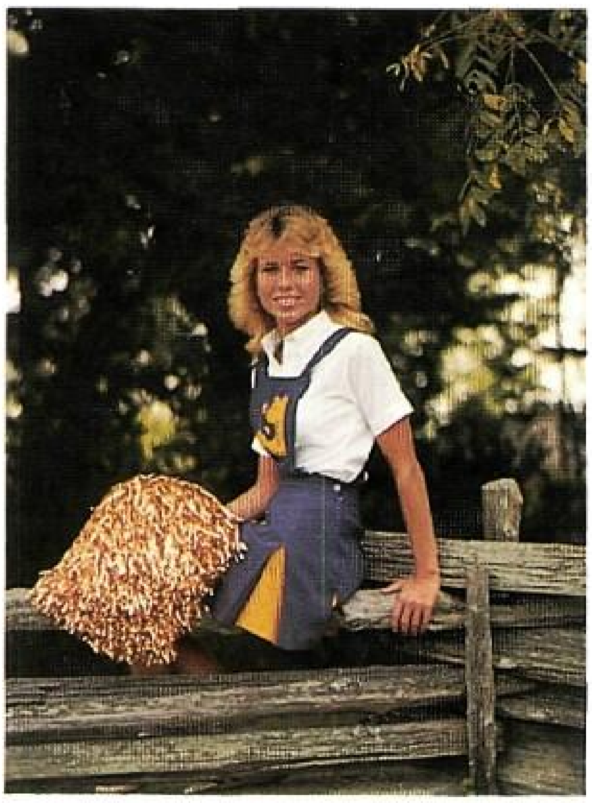
Sandi Johns, captain
Kim Percha



Katie Bannister
Stephanie Mingle
Paige Ward



Julie Adcock
Valerie Tomlin



Teresa Landry
Beckie Travis

AIR CONDITIONING AND REFRIGERATION

Air conditioning and refrigeration students, under the guidance of Mr. Earl Clark, are trained to service and repair school equipment, such as the air conditioning units and water fountains on the school campus. The students also work on community projects, including repairing equipment for the Exchange Club and Little League. The completion of this course helps in job placement because many of these students find immediate employment after high school graduation.

Sponsor. *Mr. Clark.*
Members. *Joseph Hicks, Marvin Chaffin, Sam Boles, Jimmy Ash, Tim Brown, Robert Goins.*

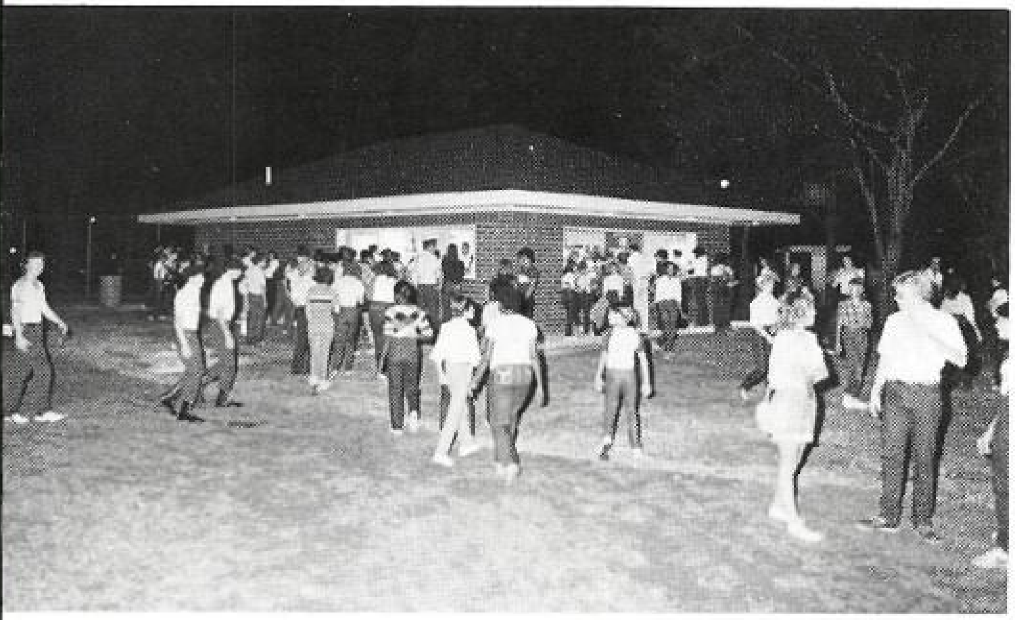
Members. *Stacy Jackson, Danny Pitts, Jay Nelson, Isiah Kelley, Robert Jones, Tim Parsons.*

Members. Standing: *Travis Wann, Danny Floyd, Raymer.* **Kneeling:** *Barry Sargent, Jeff Waynick.*

Second year students: Sitting: *Philip Clement, Kenneth Sisco, Ken Thomas, Brian Brooks, Jeff McCormick, Dale Swain, Monty Murphy, Roger Gilmore, Dearyl Barnes, Ricky Newman.*
Standing: *Eddie Marlin, John Atwood, Mike Shultz, Stacy Adcock, Wally Singleton, Rex Creviston, Chris Stanley, Ray Norfleet, Mark Moore, Billy Wilson, Curtis Ashton, David Davis, Mr. Thomas, sponsor.*
First year students: Sitting: *Kevin Piercy, Wally Kennon, Tony Dennis, Jerry Davis, Marty Edwards, Terry Lamon, Gary Jernigan, Troy Arnold, Byron Alsup, Dwayne Tucker, Ed Comer.*
Standing: *Ann Gartung, Gary Phelps, David Dority, Robert Bittner, Quint Bogle, Thane Myers, Donny Troutman, Todd Loggins, David Parrish, Chris Sholar, Ricky Kallman, Mr. Thomas, sponsor.*

Under the leadership of Mr. Terry Thomas, the building and trades students learn about construction techniques. These techniques range from foundation work to finish and include every aspect found in between, such as electrical work, plumbing, roofing, and brick laying. The class hopes to begin a house before the school year is over. Last year, the class constructed the concession building behind the school.
This facility and its refreshments are enjoyed by all students, parents, friends, and bulldog supporters.

BUILDING AND TRADES



A Needed Addition: *The concession stand, built by building and trade students last ear, is being put to the test during a football game.*

S CLUB

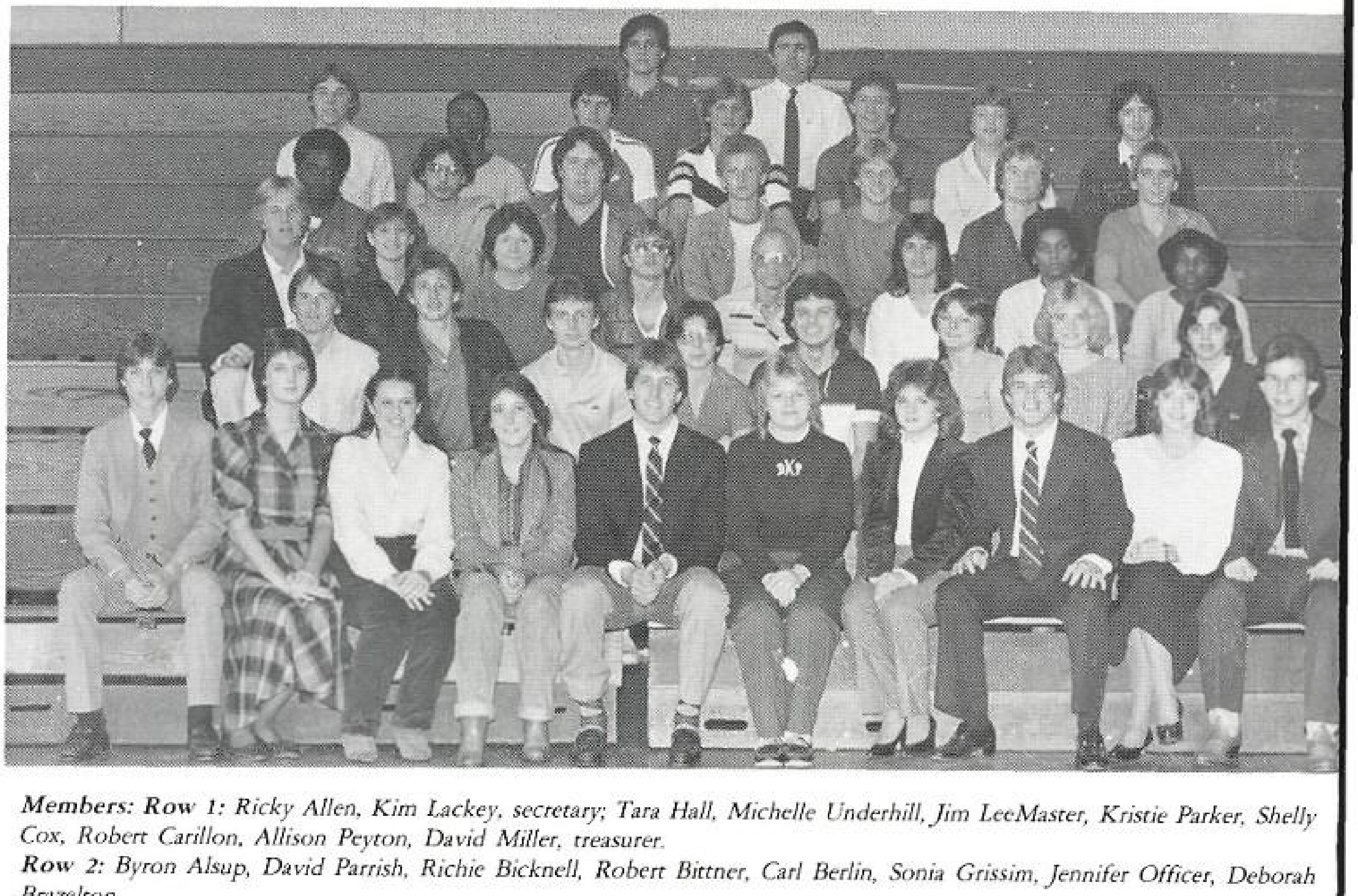
*The **S** Club consists of the school's best athletes who help to promote and support Smyrna High School's numerous athletic programs. To become a member of **S** Club, a student must have earned a sports letter in a previous year. The **S** Club is under the leadership of Coach Mullins.*

Members: Row 1: *Robert Carillon, Jama Whitehead, Paige Stem, Shelly Dodson, Ida Tucker, Antoinette Cannon, Sandi Johns, Julie Adcock, Shannon Hidalgo, Don Johnson.*
Row 2: *Ed Garner, Kathy Ralston, Tammy Brackney, Mitch Freeman, Jim LeeMaster, Candy Whitley, Chris Burke, Lisa Spann, Todd Loggins.*
Row 3: *LeAnn Harper, Greta Hale, Valerie Tomlin, Mark Pickel, Randy McGlaun, Steve Scarlett, Philip Shadowens, Jeff Key.*
Row 4: *Teresa Hancock, Kim Jamison, Jerry Davis, Baker Raborn, Bobby Cagle, Charles Walton, Jim Rippy.*
Row 5: *Kerry Morris, Doug Loux, Brad Miller, Sharon Wingate, Lisa Tyson, Katie Bannister, Kim Percha.*
Row 6: *Dwayne Tucker, Bucky Smart, Ken Thomas, Isiah Kelley.*

ART CLUB

The Art Club, sponsored by Mr. Bucy, participates in many service projects for the community. One requirement for remaining a member of the Art Club is active participation in their many activities. The club has painted halloween pictures, Christmas pictures, and other scenes on McDonald's windows and other businesses, including Smyrna Nursing Center, Vox Office Supply, the Sewing Basket, and Third National Bank.

They are also responsible for designing the emblem to represent Anderson Computers throughout the South.

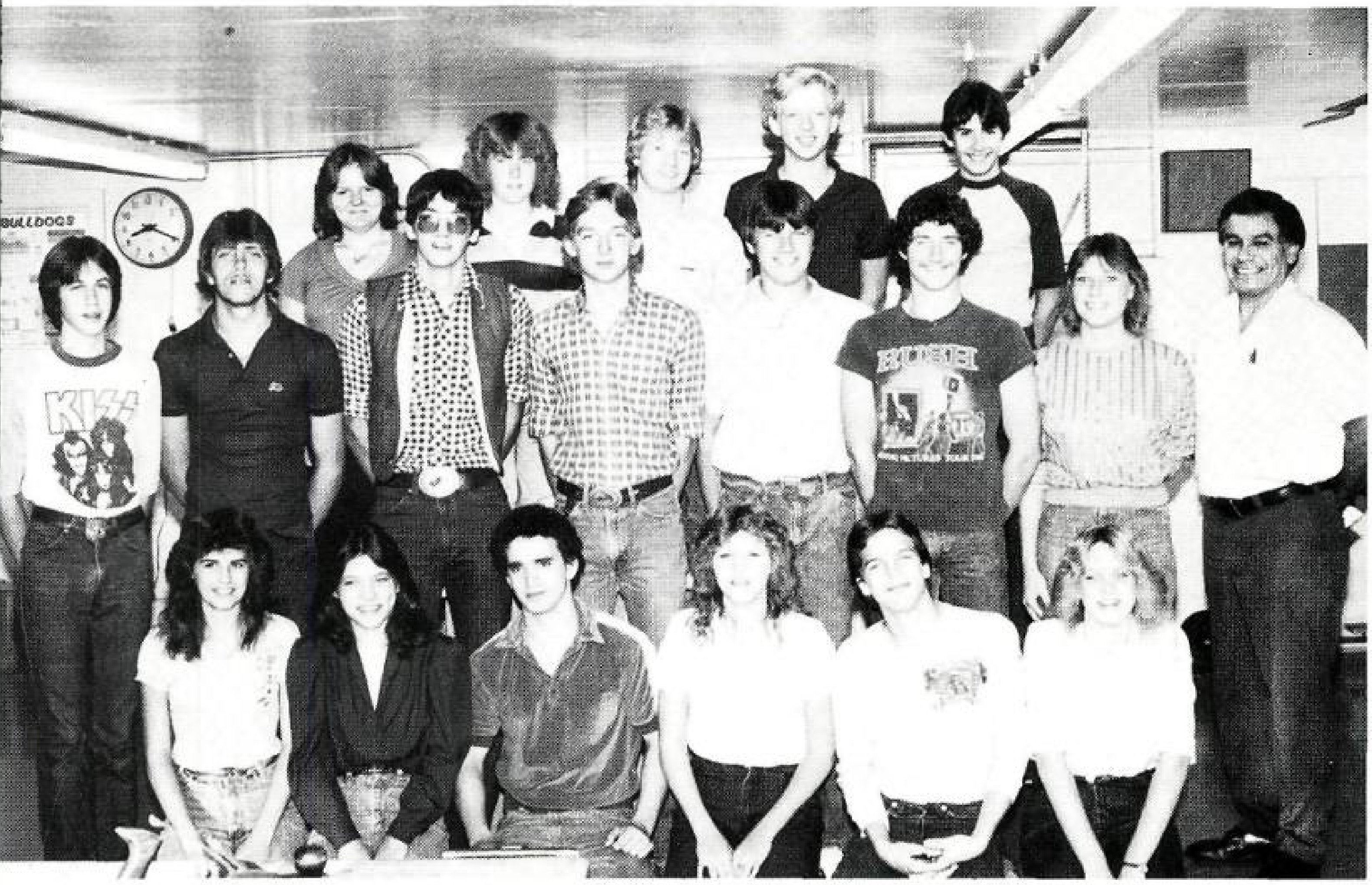


Members: Row 1: *Ricky Allen, Kim Lackey, secretary; Tara Hall, Michelle Underhill, Jim LeeMaster, Kristie Parker, Shelly Cox, Robert Carillon, Allison Peyton, David Miller, treasurer.*
Row 2: *Byron Alsup, David Parrish, Richie Bicknell, Robert Bittner, Carl Berlin, Sonia Grissim, Jennifer Officer, Deborah Brazelton.*
Row 3: *Hunter Nash, Valerie Tomlin, Jenny Curtis, Dennis Suggs, Jason Taylor, vice-president; Nancy Buchanon, Yolanda Sales, Lenora Garndieson.*
Row 4: *Bucky Smart, Steven Craig, Roy Spain, Billy Gailey, Jeff Haworth, Brad Sutton, Van Tenpenny.*
Row 5: *Kerry Morris, Isiah Kelley, Trey Crutcher, Mike Hosford, Steve Scarlett, Kevin Jenkins, David Tenpenny.*
Row 6: *Phil Lewis, president; Mr. Bucy, sponsor.*

INDUSTRIAL ARTS

The Industrial Arts organization, under the direction of Mr. Gonzales, consists of those students who are enrolled in woodshop courses at Smyrna High School. One of their projects is the sale of their own handcrafted items.

Not An Average Classroom. *While Industrial Arts students spend many hours in the classroom, they also get valuable work experience with the shop equipment. Ann Gartung and Tim Simpson work together on a woodshop assignment to be completed during class.*
Practice Makes Perfect. *Safety and concentration are two key words in woodshop. Merri Parman demonstrates the proper use of the band saw.*
A Working Combination. *While working together on an assignment, Jeff Ross, Michelle Rinehart, and James Adams put forth time and effort to make sure every angle is just right.*



Members: Row 1: *Ann Gartung, president; Michelle Tetley, vice president; John White, sergeant at arms; Donna Roberson, reporter; Alan Horrell, treasurer; Merri Parman, secretary.*
Row 2: *Gary Boyd, William Heaton, Rex Wall, James Adams, Stephen Russell, Jeff Ross, Michelle Rinehart, Mr. Gonzales.*
Row 3: *Sandra Dollar, Lisa Utley, Tommy Bushee, Tim Simpson, Clay Adcock.*

Row 1: *Mike Reese, Mr. Miller, Hunter Nash.*
Row 2: *Steve Short, Philip Shadowens, Brad Miller, Bucky Smart, Jon Hudnall, Isiah Kelley, Doug Loux.*

MILLER'S MEN

NO SMOKING
DAVID W. MILLER

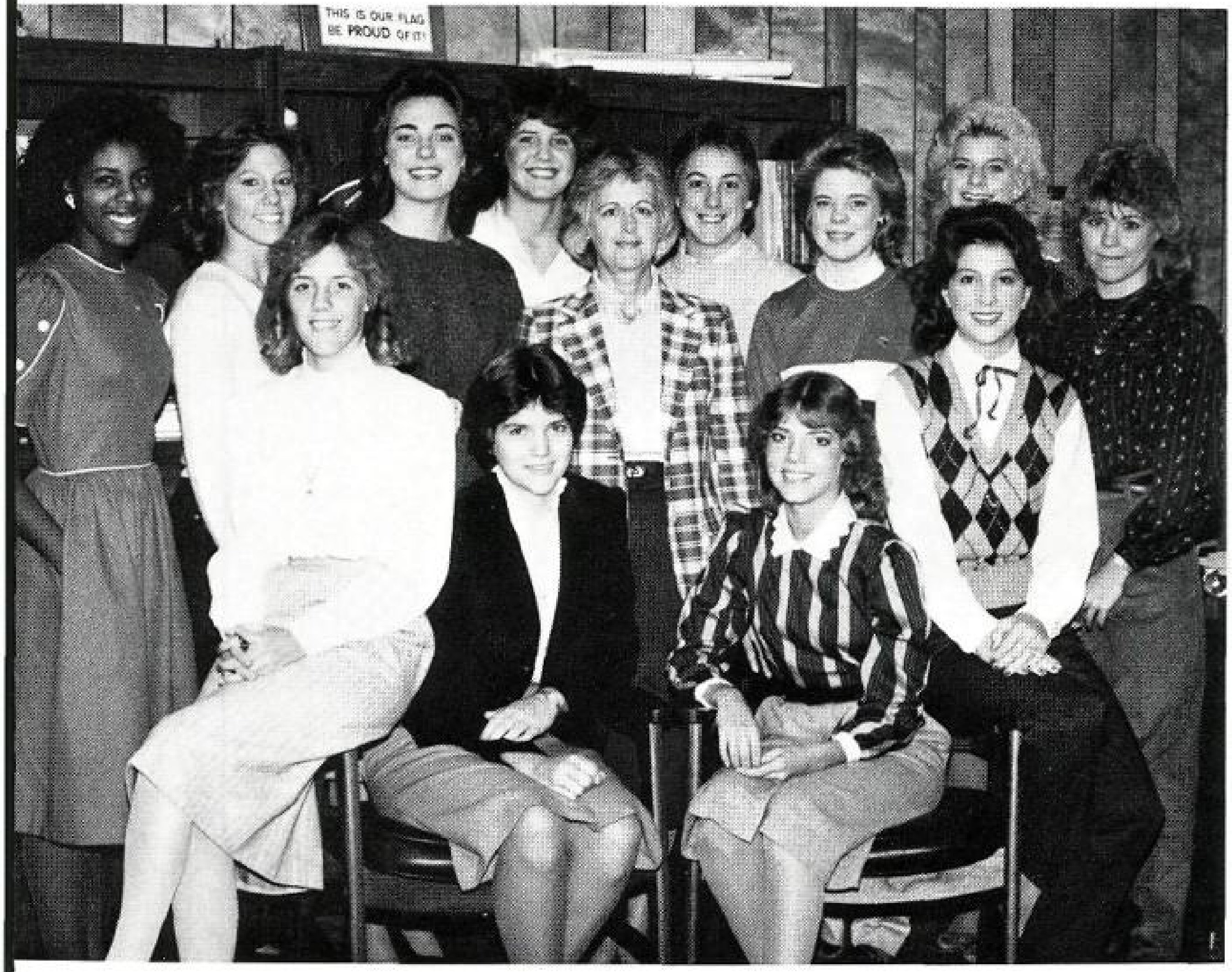
Mr. Miller, the school's assistant principal, has a group of helpful students to assist him in fulfilling his many responsibilities. Some of these various jobs include working in the bookstore, sorting mail, and picking up tardy slips in the main building.

SHIPP'S CREW

Shipp's Crew assist Mr. Shipp, our assistant principal, through the performance of such duties as answering the phone, typing, and running errands. These hard workers also collect tardy skips from the vocational building.

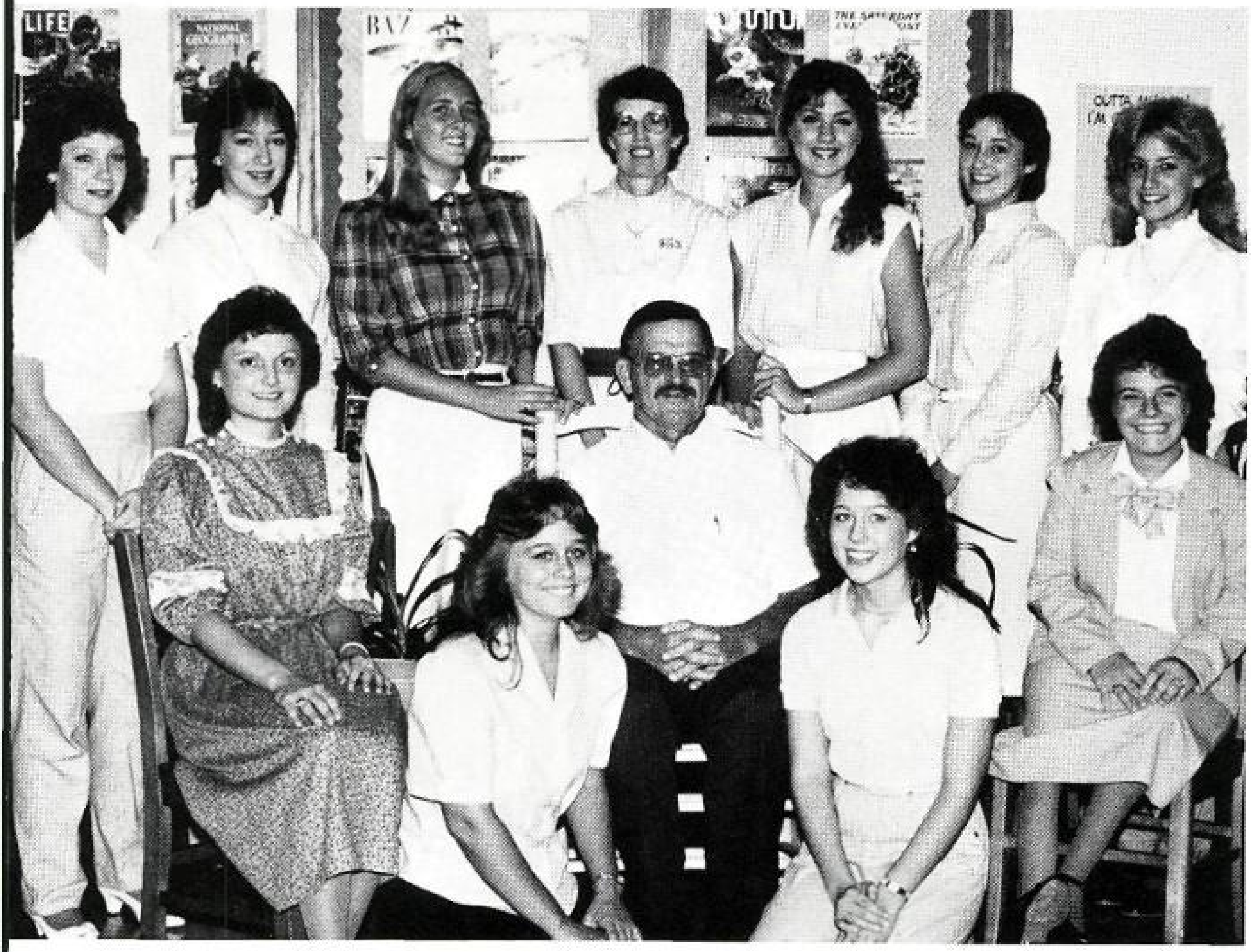
Sitting: *Mr. Shipp.*
Standing: *Wally Singleton, Tina McKnight, Jeff Waynick, Melissa Dority, James Cates, Tracey Epps, Baker Raborn, Mike Oldfield, Marsha Adams, Jerry Pickel.*

Row 1: Kelly Ferrell, Kathy Raleigh, Allison Peyton, Sharon Jones.
Row 2: Antoinette Cannon, Lisa Spann, Bethany Wilson, Lisa Tyson, Mrs. Raikes, Candy Whitley, Cynthia Foutch, Tammy Brackney, Jama Whitehead.



OFFICE WORKERS

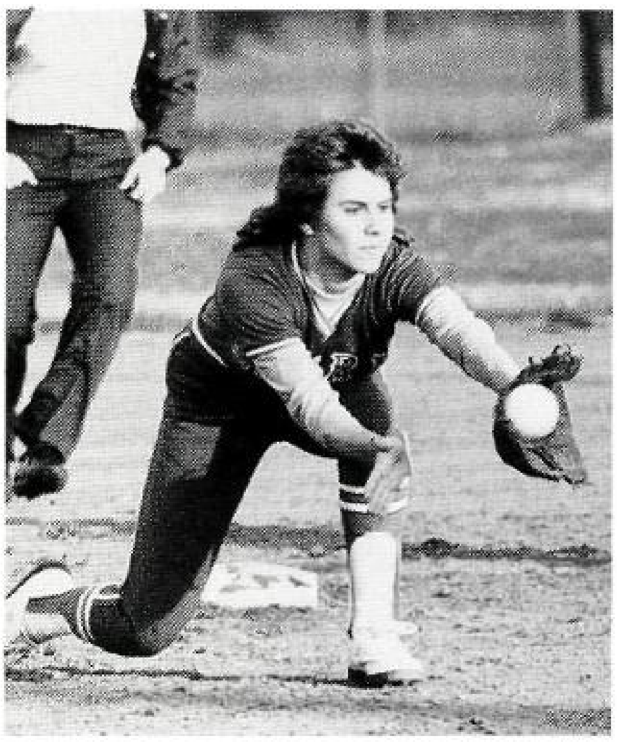
The Smyrna High School office workers assist Mrs. Raikes, our school secretary. The various tasks of these dedicated students include running errands, answering the phone, and filling out passes which include tardy slips, early dismissals, and absences. These assistants also aid students who come into the office and pass out the bulletins to the faculty members.



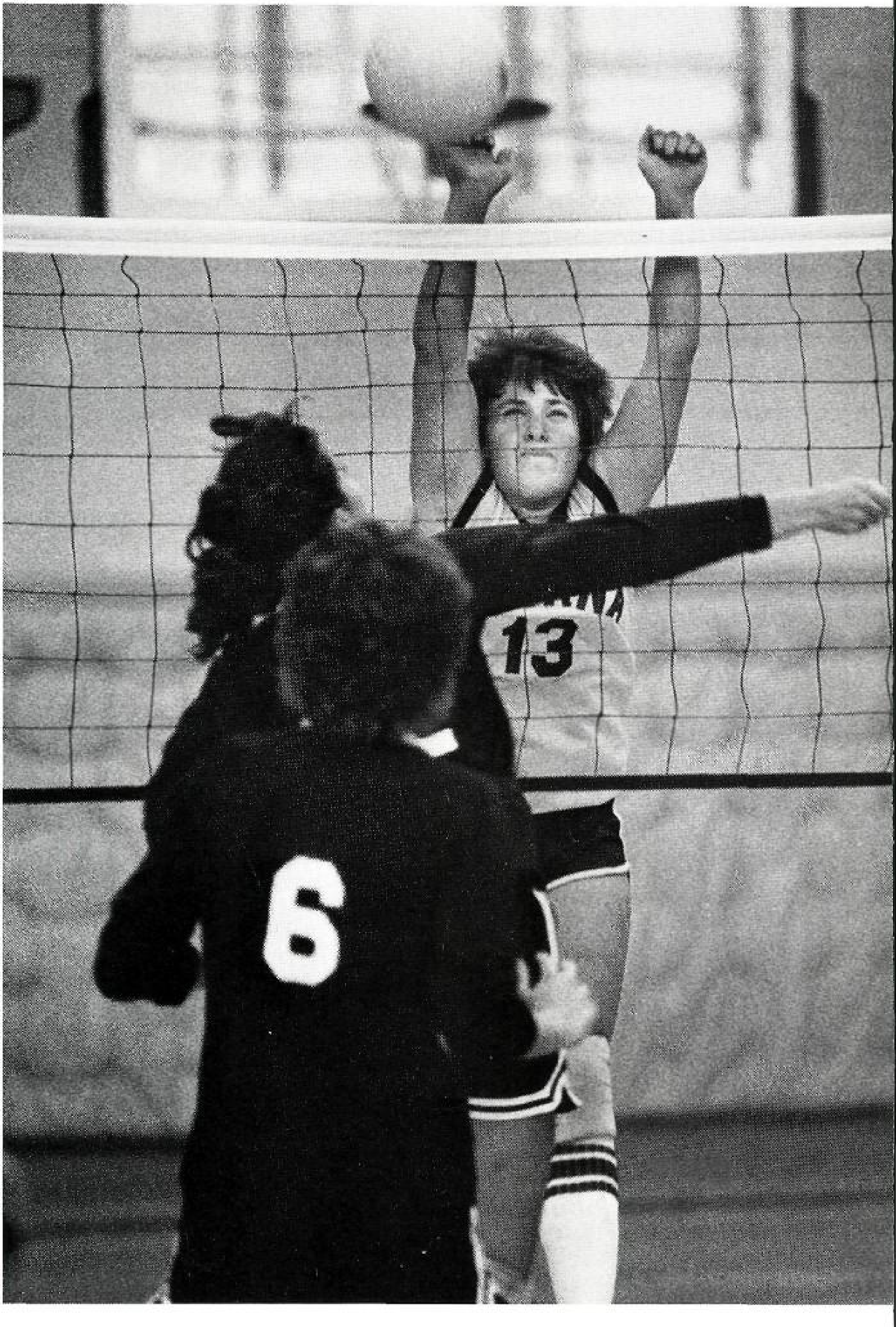
Row 1: Tina Graham, Shelly Lenfant.
Row 2: Angel Estes, Mr. Getsay, Debbie Moore.
Row 3: Lisa Bannister, Martha Harris, Regina Waddey, Mrs. Clemens, Kathy Ralston, Debra Reep, Sharon Wingate.

GUIDANCE GIRLS

Mrs. Clemens and Mr. Getsay, Smyrna High School's guidance counselors, select students to serve as their assistants. These girls' responsibilities include filling out report cards, running errands, filing, and typing. They show new students to their classes in order to acquaint them with S.H.S.



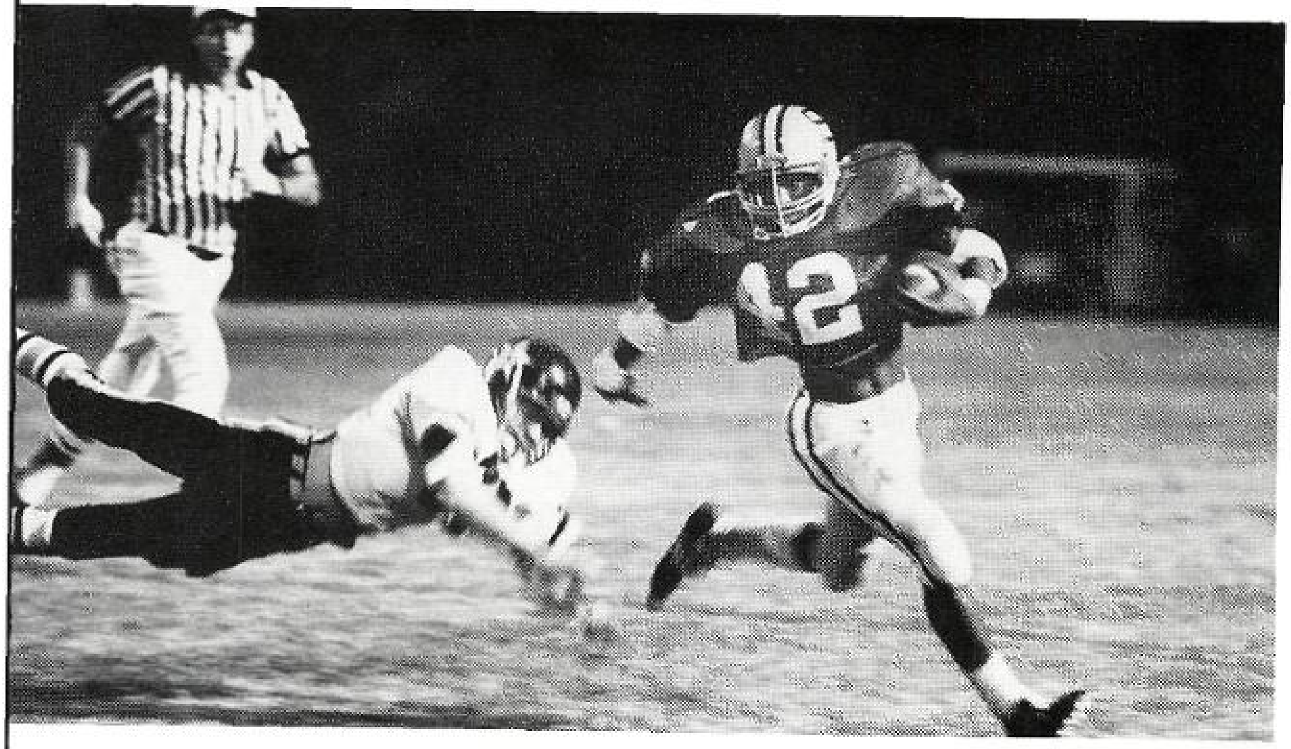
No yearbook could be complete without a salute to the tremendous athletes of Smyrna High School. With the memories of pompoms, popcorn, touchdowns, and last minute baskets fresh on our minds, we give you an account of the 1983-84 athletic year. We include some statistics, recognize the athletes, and make projections on the spring sports that we are unable to cover firsthand. Thus, the ***Gold Dust*** *staff hopes that this section does indeed encompass and create a* ***Twenty-Four Carat Gold*** *year in sports.*

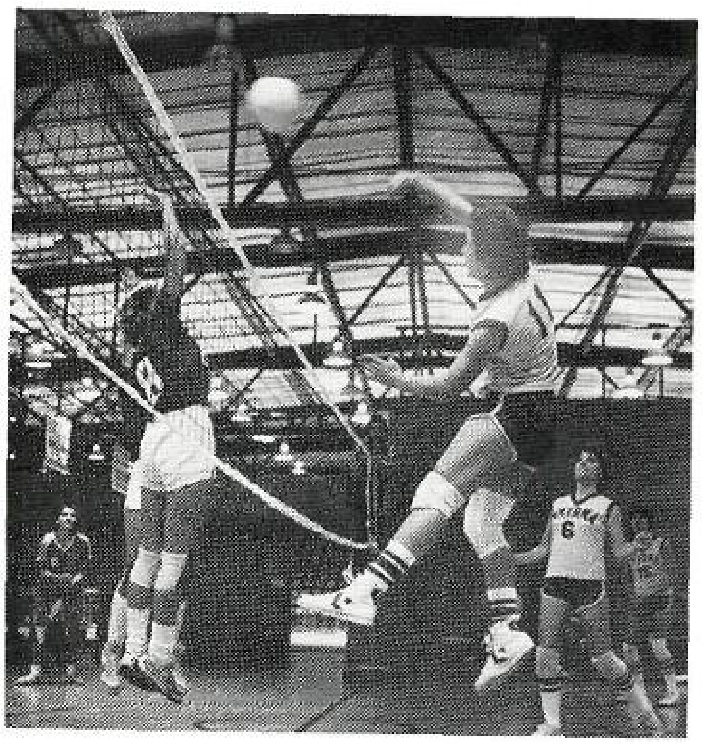


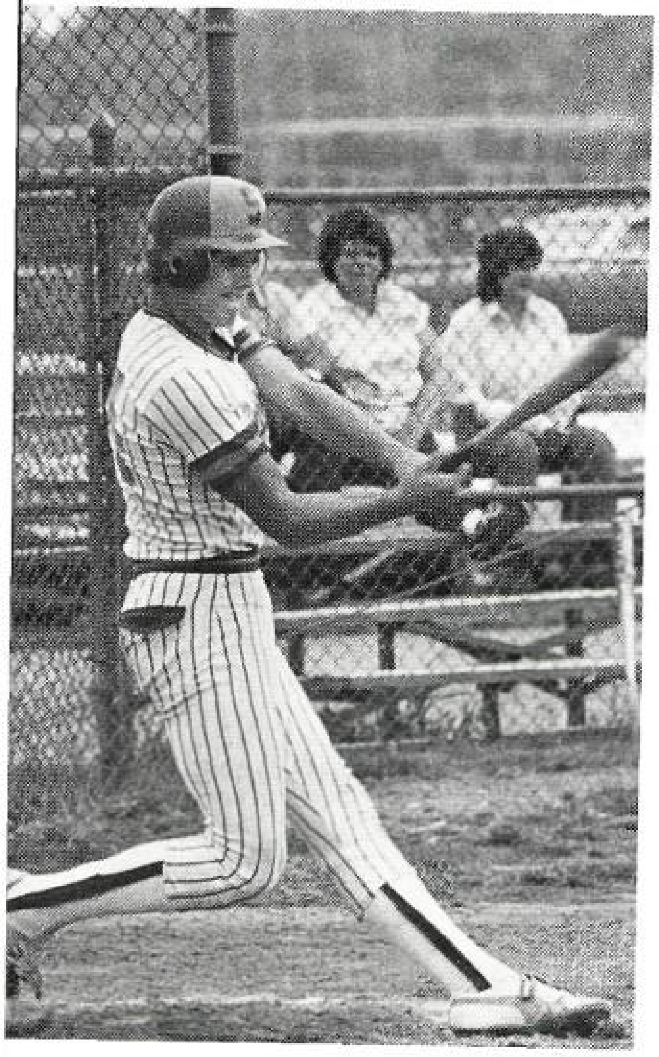
Stretching For the Catch. *Stopping an advancing runner, Ida Tucker turns a tremendous double play. — Photo by Jim Davis.*

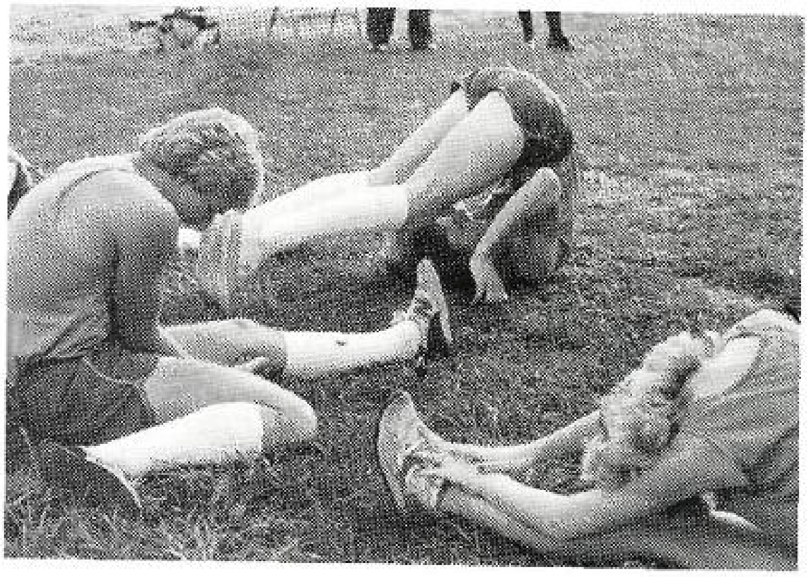
Stretching For That Point. *The Smyrna High volleyball team won the 1983 TSSAA District VIII Championship. Greta Hale does her part to obtain the victory as she stretches to block a spike from a Tullahoma player. — Photo by Jim Davis.*

SPORTS









Escaping A Tackle. *Jack Hollins quickly advances the ball down field as the defensive opponent tries to make the tackle. — Photo by Jim Davis.*

Candy's Unique Technique. *Riverdale defeated Smyrna at Riverdale during the regular season. However, in the final game of the district, Smyrna defeated Riverdale to become the district champions. Candy Whitley's unique spiking style — around the house spike — is shown in this game against Riverdale. — Photo by Jim Davis.*

Warming Up for the Run. *Reece Anderson, Tammy Brackney, and Richie Bicknell stretch to prevent injury.*

A Power Hitter. *Ken Thomas shows his excellent stance as he hits the ball out of the park. — Photo by Jim Davis*

A TEAM IN TRANSITION

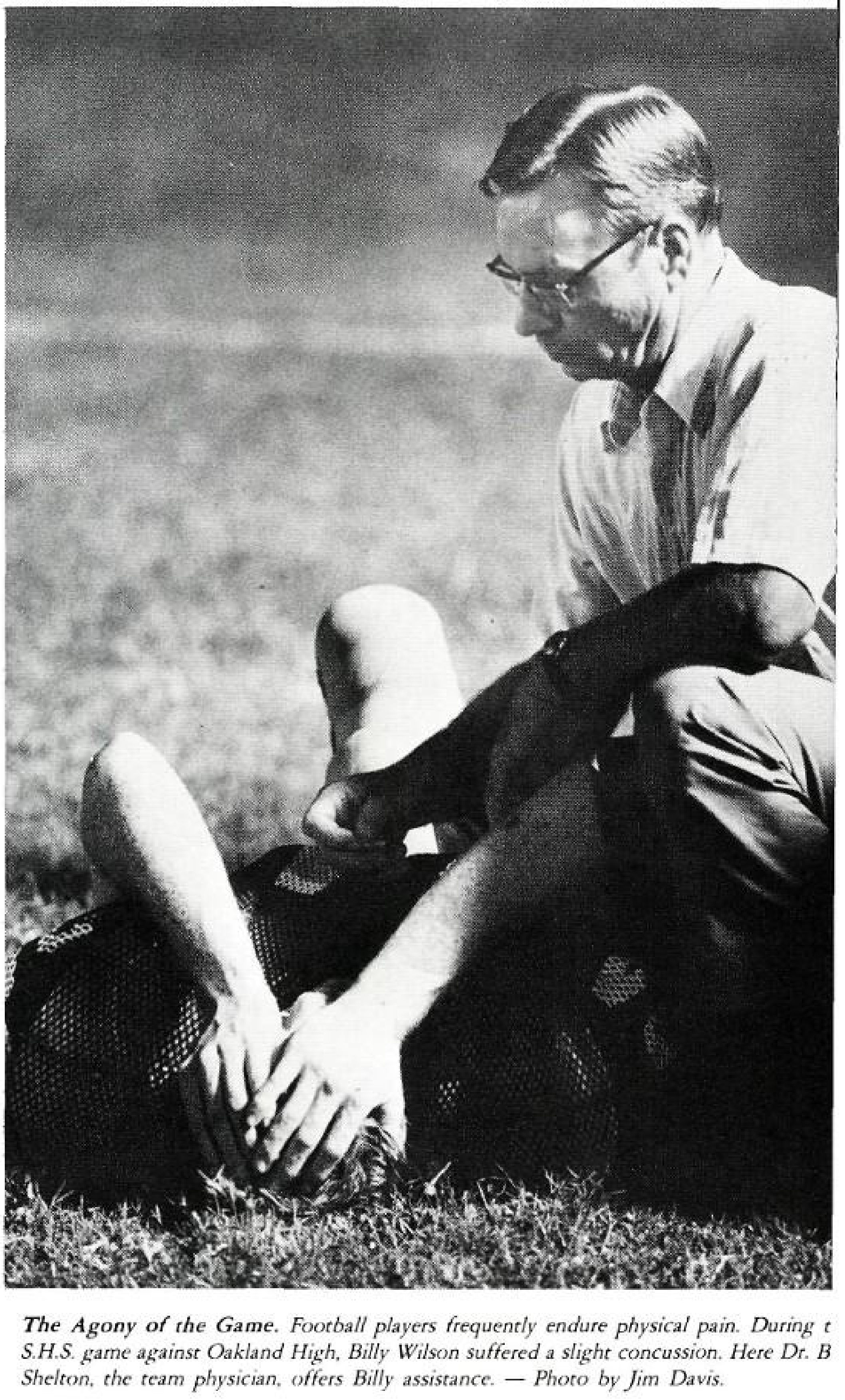
From Bad Days to Great Plays

The Smyrna High football team has shown much improvement in the past few years. This year was no exception. Under the leadership of Duke Shackelford, physically the team is bigger and stronger than ever before. Coach Shackelford attributes this growth to an improved weight and conditioning program.

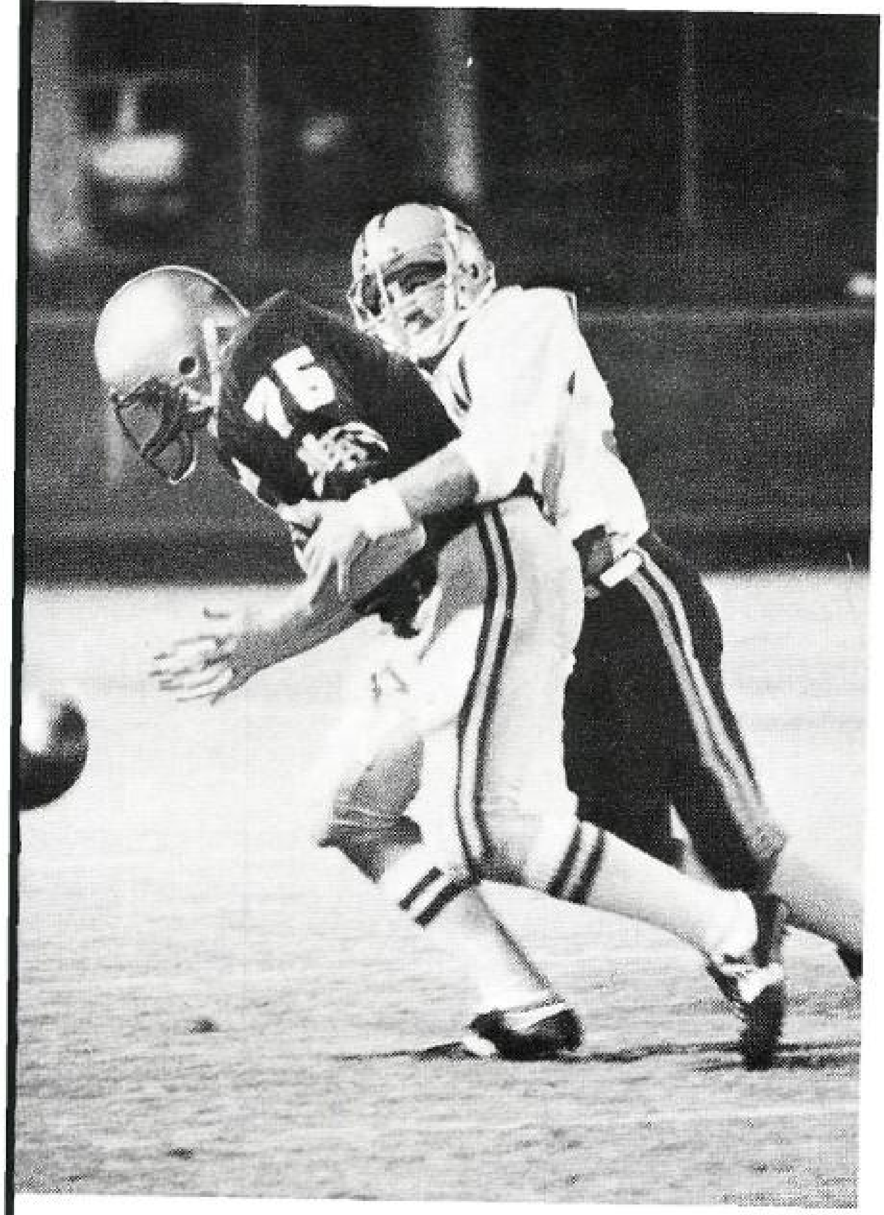
This year the scores have been much closer, and Smyrna has earned the respect of many foes. The head coach of Gallatin, the state's top team, made this comment after the S.H.S.-Gallatin game, "Smyrna's football team has improved greatly, and they hit us harder than any other team we've faced this year," Coach Shackelford credits the defense and the kicking game for some of the success.

Diving for Yardage. *After a long gain, running back Jack Hollins dives in an attempt to make a first down. — Photo by Jim Davis.*

Defensive Backs Kneeling: *Todd Loggins, Sammy Snell, Philip Shadowens, Coac McAnnally, Mike Reese, Mark Pickel, Hunter Nash.*
Standing: *Jerry Fontaine, David Clark, Mike Manners, Jimmy Reed, David Turner, Robbi Crawford, Jon Hudnall.*



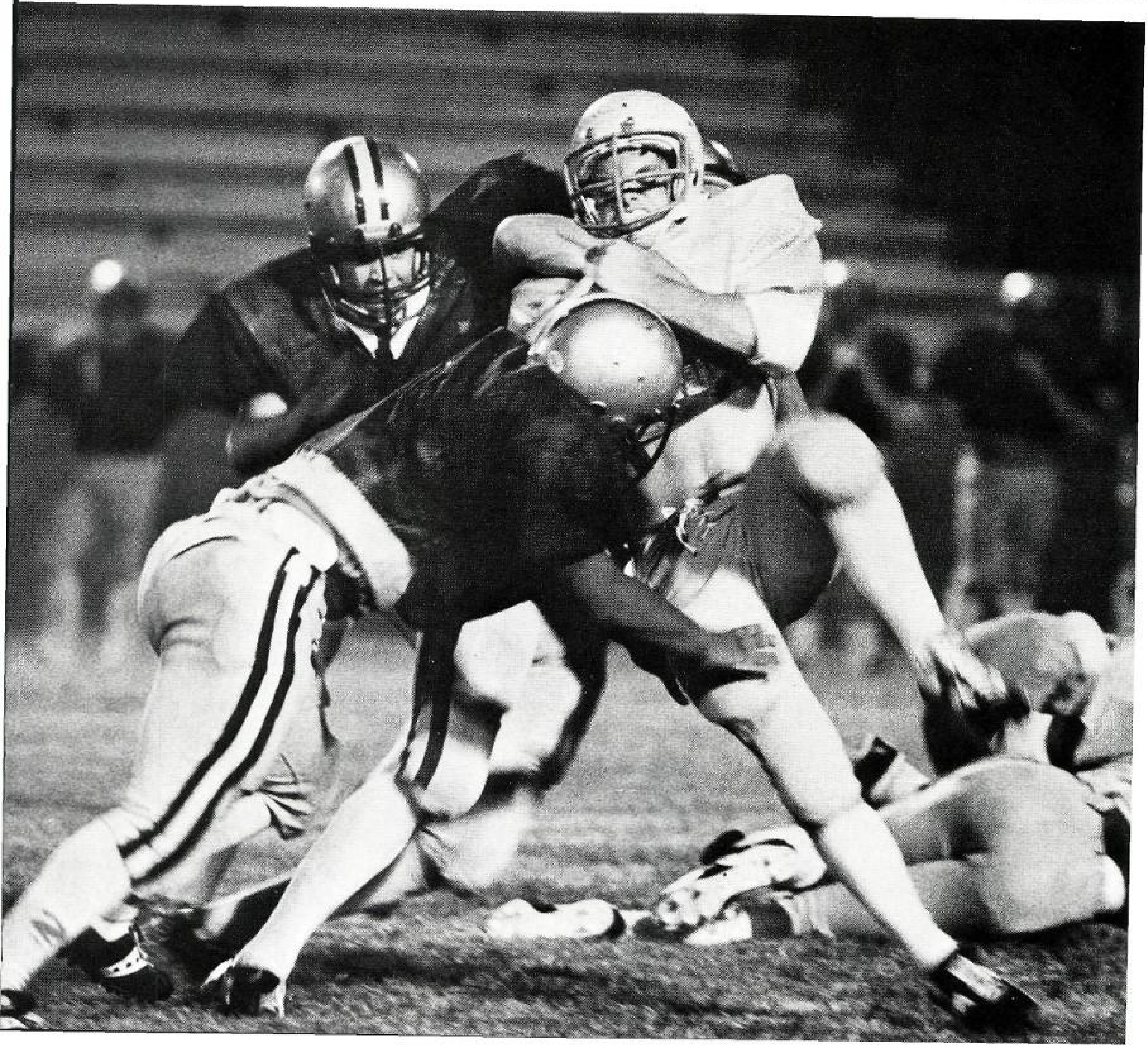
The Agony of the Game. *Football players frequently endure physical pain. During t S.H.S. game against Oakland High, Billy Wilson suffered a slight concussion. Here Dr. B Shelton, the team physician, offers Billy assistance. — Photo by Jim Davis.*



A Crucial Fumble. *Defensive back Mike Reese obtains a crucial gain of the ball during the Smyrna-M.B.A. game. During the tackle, Mike jars the M.B.A. player, resulting in a fumble. — Photo by Jim Davis.*

Offensive Backs Standing: *Felipe McCullough, Richard Johns, Dwayne Smith, Steve Scarlett, Billy Wilson, Freddie Gibson, Kerry Morris.*
Kneeling: *William Malone, Steve Mullins, Robert Carillon, Coach Shackelford, Jack Hollins, Alan Smith, Mitch Freeman.*

Tough Yardage. *Richard Johns fights for yardage against a strong Columbia defense. — Photo by Jim Davis.*

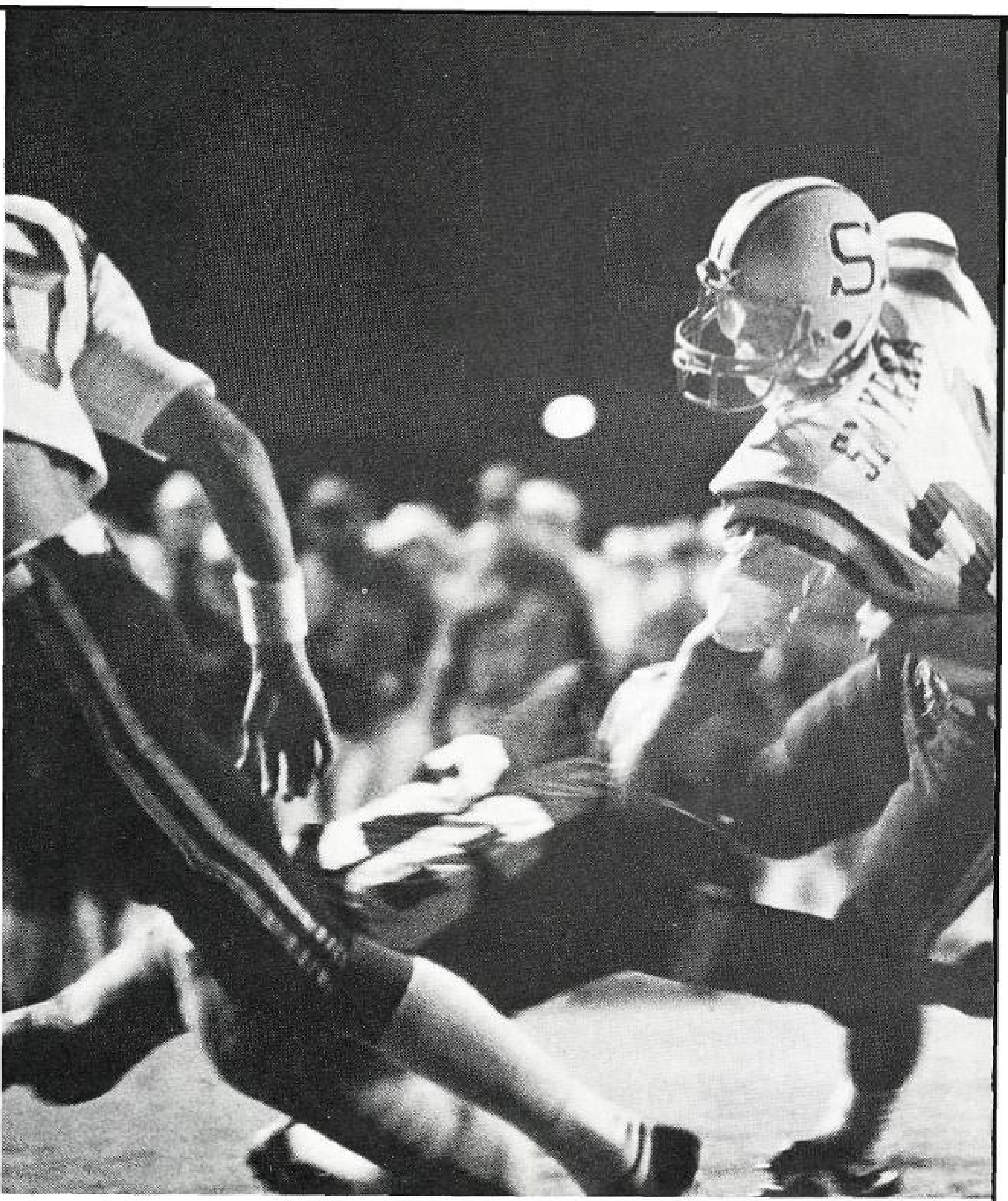


PLAYING AGAINST THE ODDS

Maintains That Bulldog Spirit

The football team has a good mixture of sophomores, juniors, and seniors. Although the team won only two games this year, the players have maintained an optimistic attitude throughout the season. The most discouraging time occurred during the Smyrna-Mt. Juliet game. At Mt. Juliet both of Smyrna High's quarterbacks were injured and sidelined for the rest of the season. Senior Mark Pickel, who lacked experience, was immediately pushed into the spotlight as quarterback for the remainder of the season.

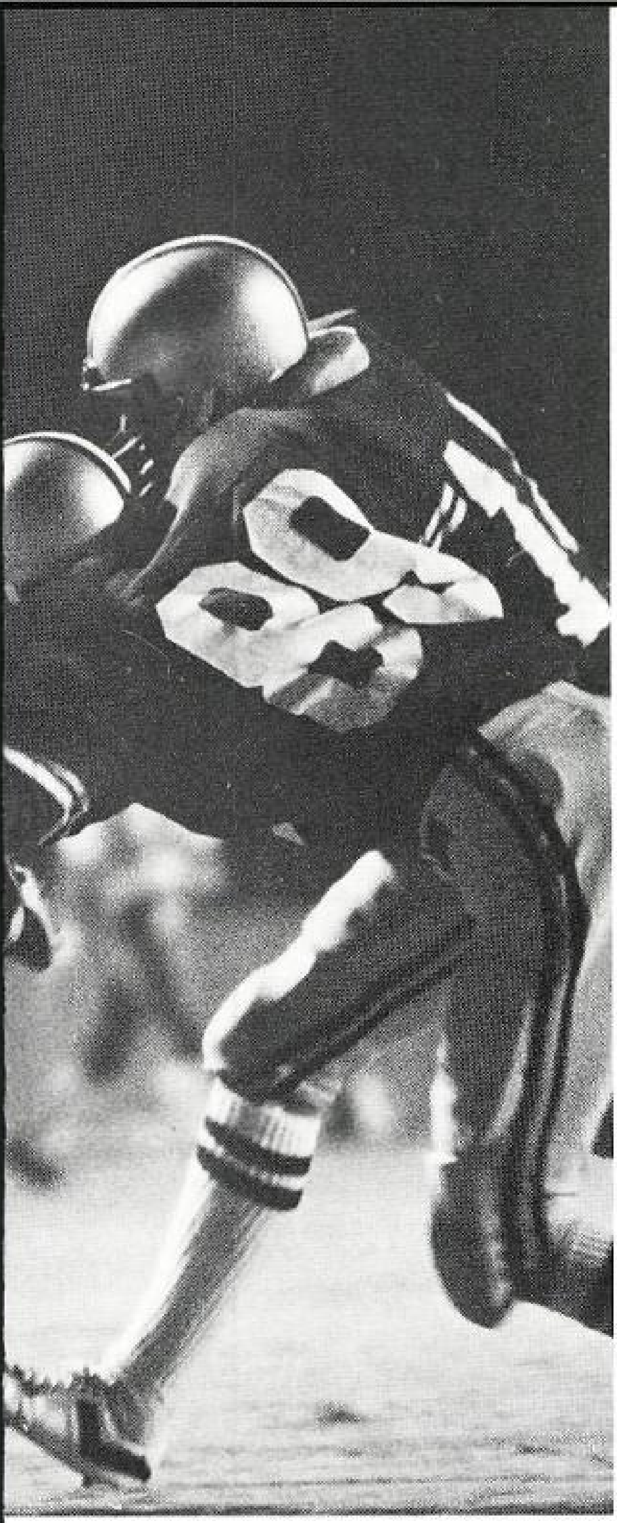
During the season, the team was plagued with other injuries and problems. However, the football team with that bulldog spirit continued to improve and is looking forward to a winning 1984 season.



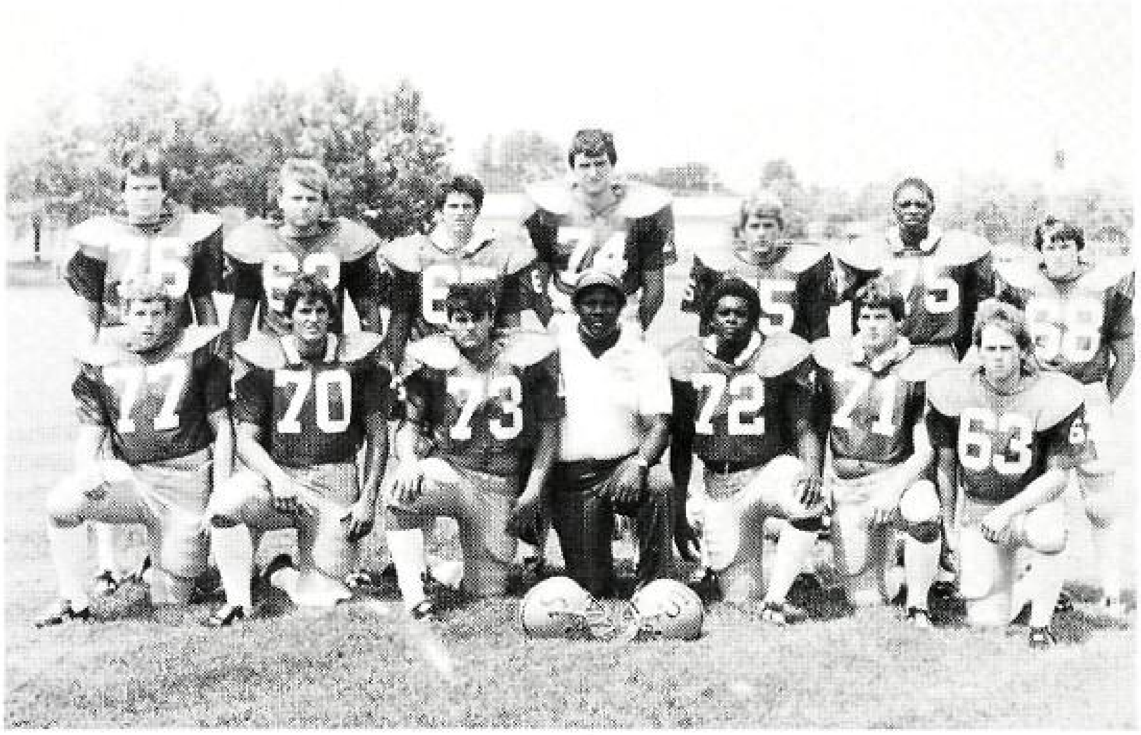
Smyrna Scores. *Billy Wilson, in the grasp of three M.B.A. defenders, scrambles for a touchdown during a tough game with M.B.A.*

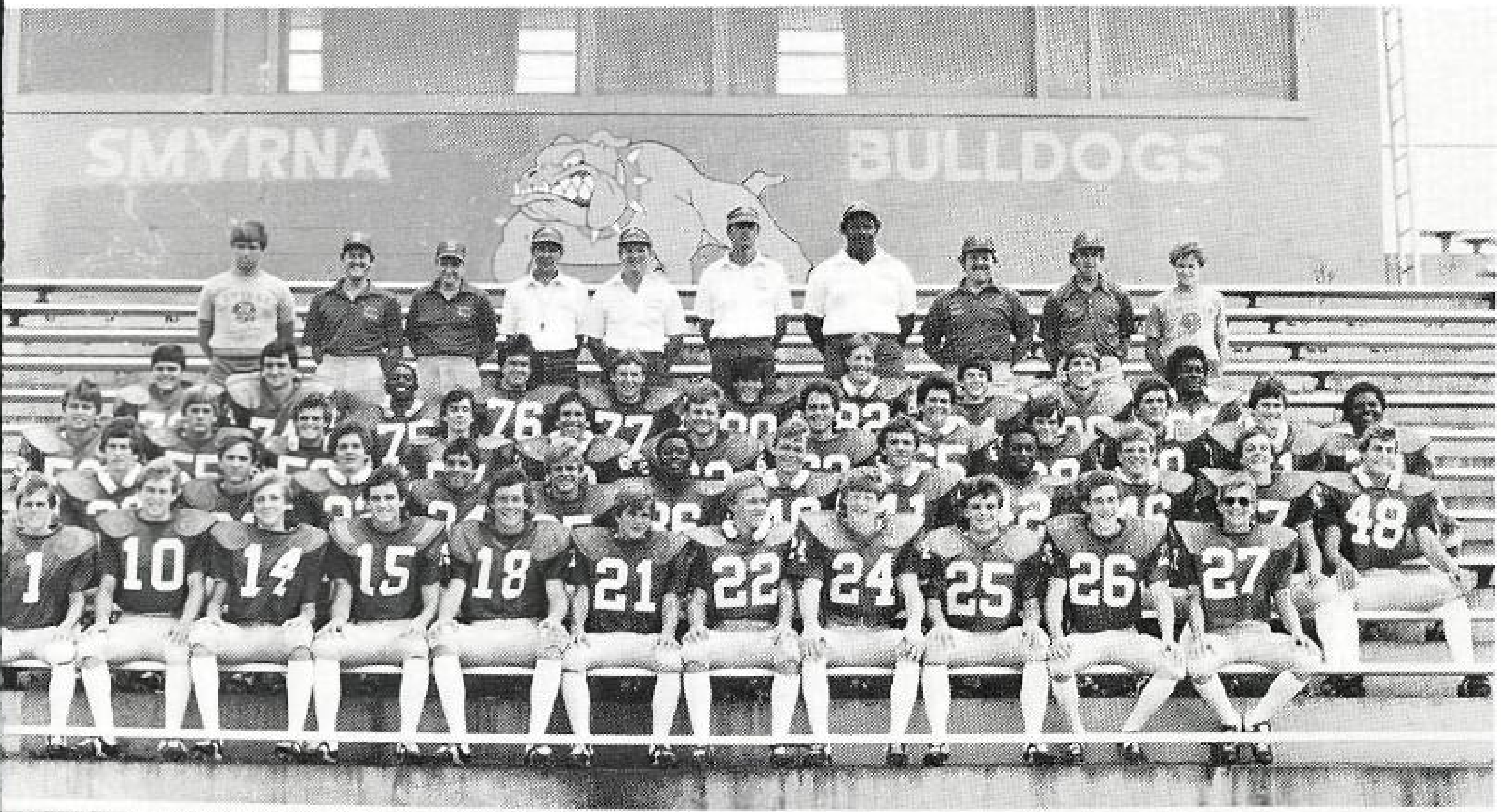
Defensive Ends and Linebackers. Standing: *Hunter Nash, Mitch Freeman, William Malone, Brad Miller, Randy McGlaun, Robbie Crawford.*
Kneeling: *Ed Garner, James Hosford, Coach Gibson, David Martin, Keith Story.*

Smyrna High Coaches. Kneeling: *Head Coach Duke Shackelford.*
Standing: *Defensive Back Coach Harry McAnally, Offensive Line Coach Leo Martin, Defensive Coach Fred Gibson.*

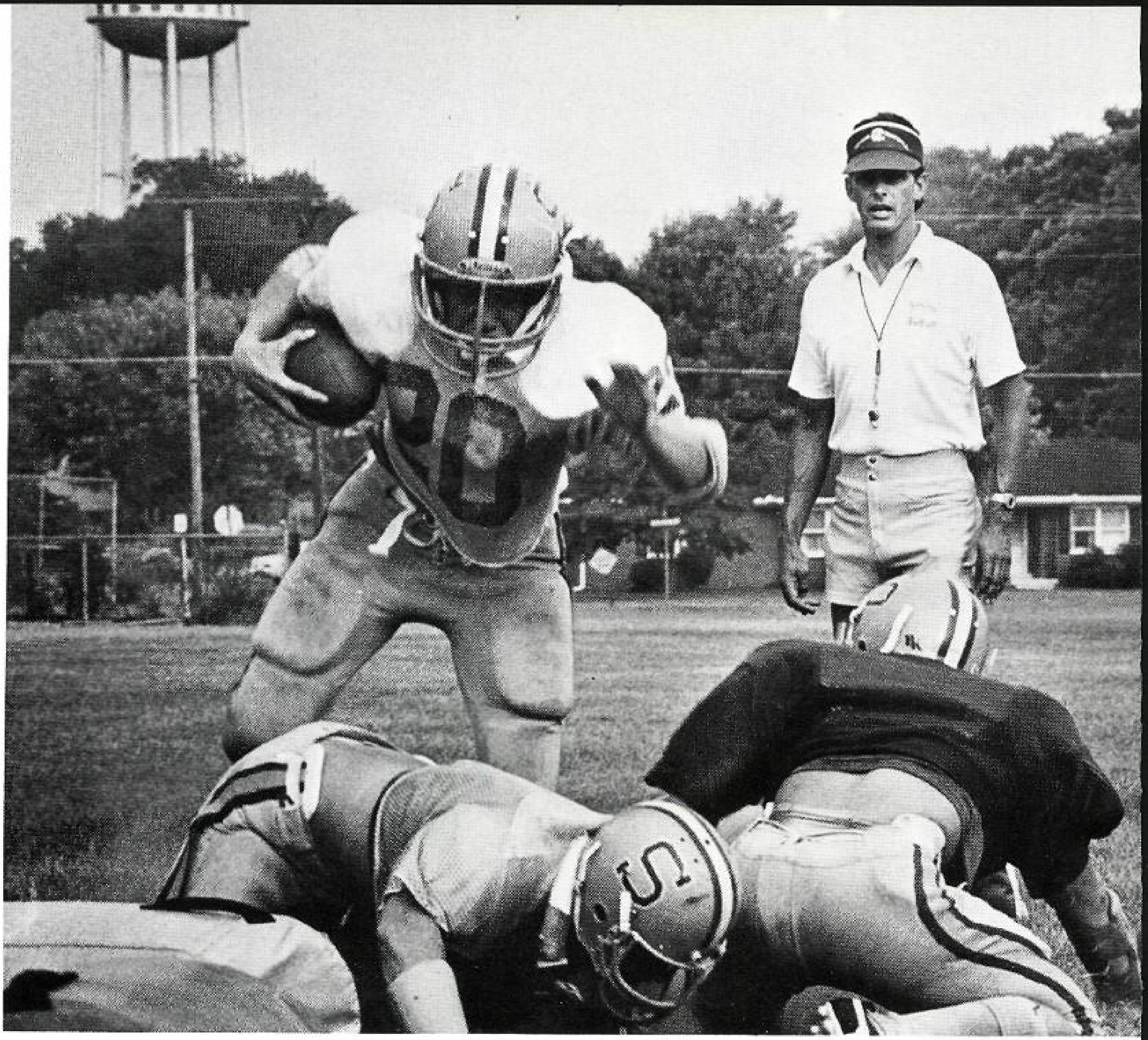


Offensive and Defensive Linemen. ***Kneeling:*** *Ricky Eskildsen, Bobby Cagle, Charles Walton, Coach Leo Martin, Bucky Smart, Baker Raborn, Ray Norfleet.*
Standing: *Kelly Simpson, Pat Crocker, Chris Burke, Scott West, Mike Hosford, Isiah Kelly, Richard Birdsong.*

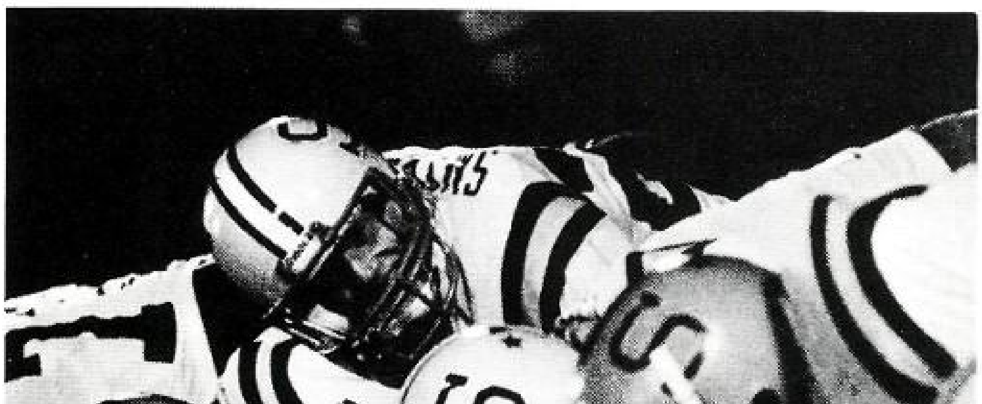




nyrna High Football Team. Row 1: *Jimmy Reed, Steve Mullins, Freddy Gibson, Dwayne Smith, Steve Scarlett, David Turner, Hunter ash, Billy Wilson, Richard Johns, Jon Hudnall, Jerry Fontaine.*
ow 2: *Philip Shadowens, David Clark, Mike Reese, Mike Manners, Todd Loggins, Felipe McCullough, Robbie Crawford, Brad Miller, k Hollins, Robert Carillon, Sammy Snell, Mitch Freeman.*
ow 3: *James Hosford, Mike Hosford, Ed Garner, David Martin, Randy McGlaun, Pat Crocker, Ray Norfleet, Chris Burke, Richard rdsong, Bobby Cagle, Baker Raborn, Bucky Smart.*
ow 4: *Charles Walton, Scott West, Isiah Kelly, Mike Simpson, Ricky Eskildsen, Keith Story, Mark Pickel, Alan Smith, Kerry Morris, illiam Malone.*
ow 5: *Manager — Jimmy Beacom, Rick Powell, Pete Dye, Fred Gibson, Harry McAnally, Duke Shackelford, Leo Martin, Dan Greene, ny Trumphour, Manager — Mike Cook.*

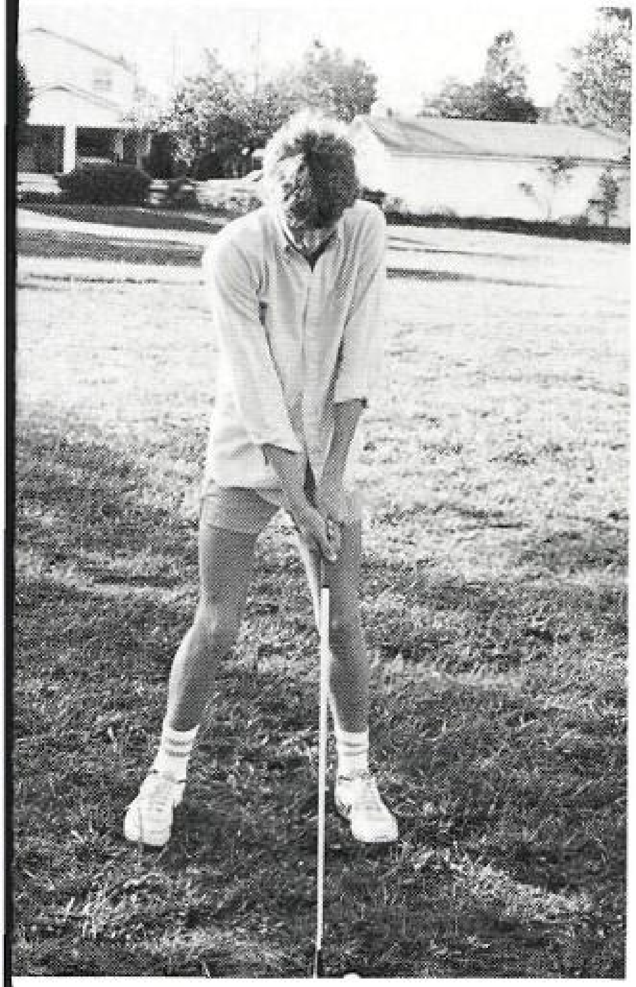


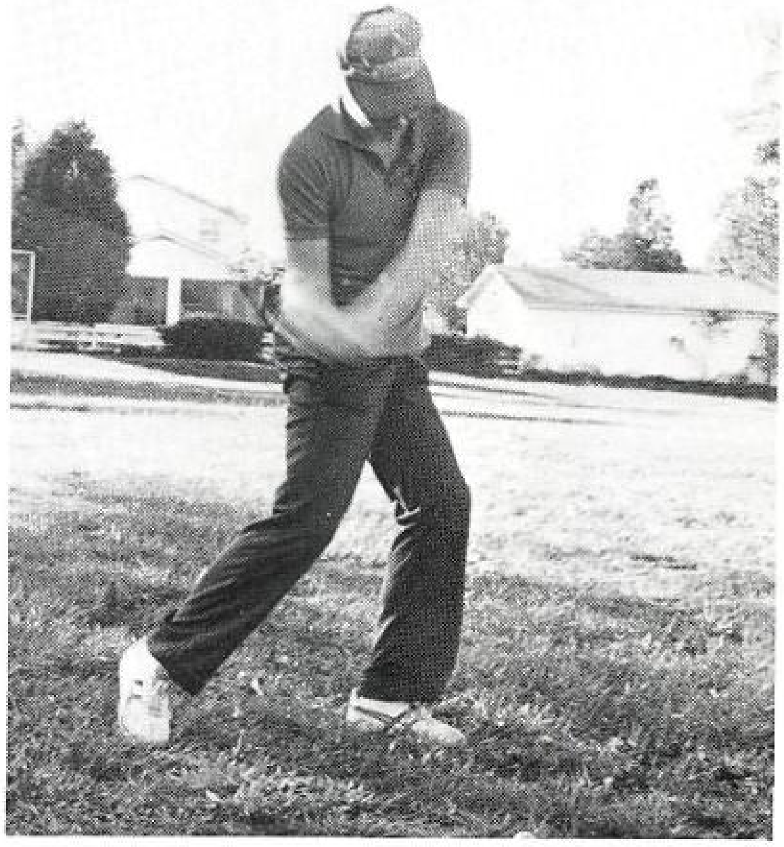
Fighting for Yardage. *Robert Carillon attempts to allude the defense with some fancy footwork. — Photo by Jim Davis.*



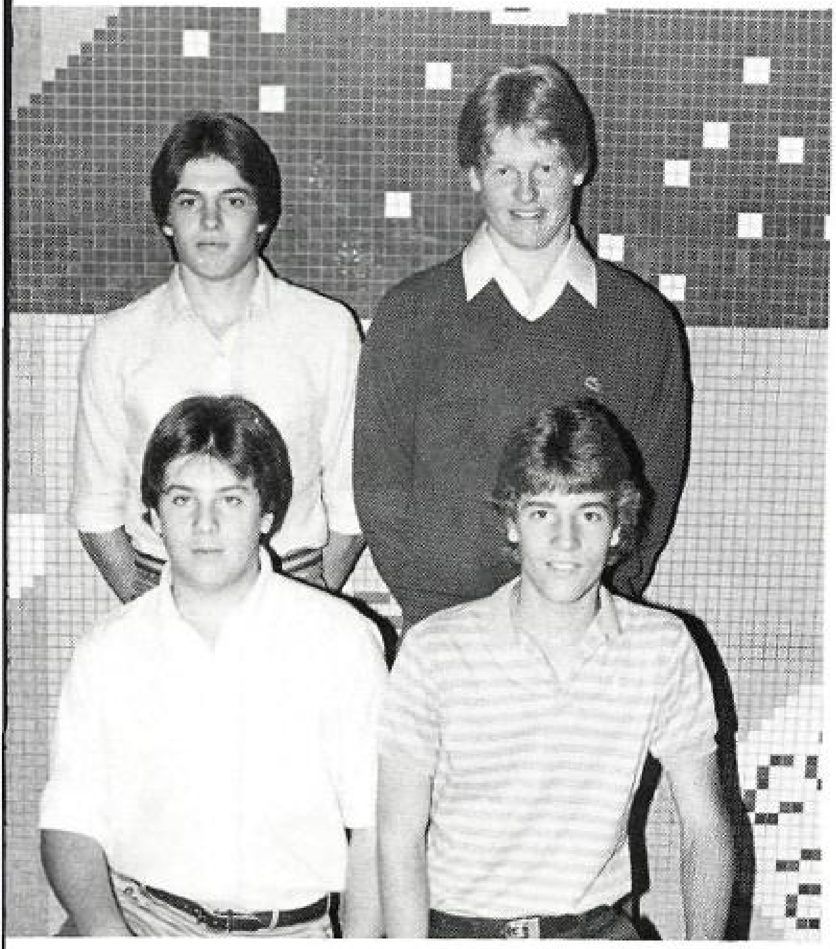
The Glue of the Team. *Billy Wilson holds the team together through his leadership and determination. Here he calls the play sure to catch the defense off their guard.*

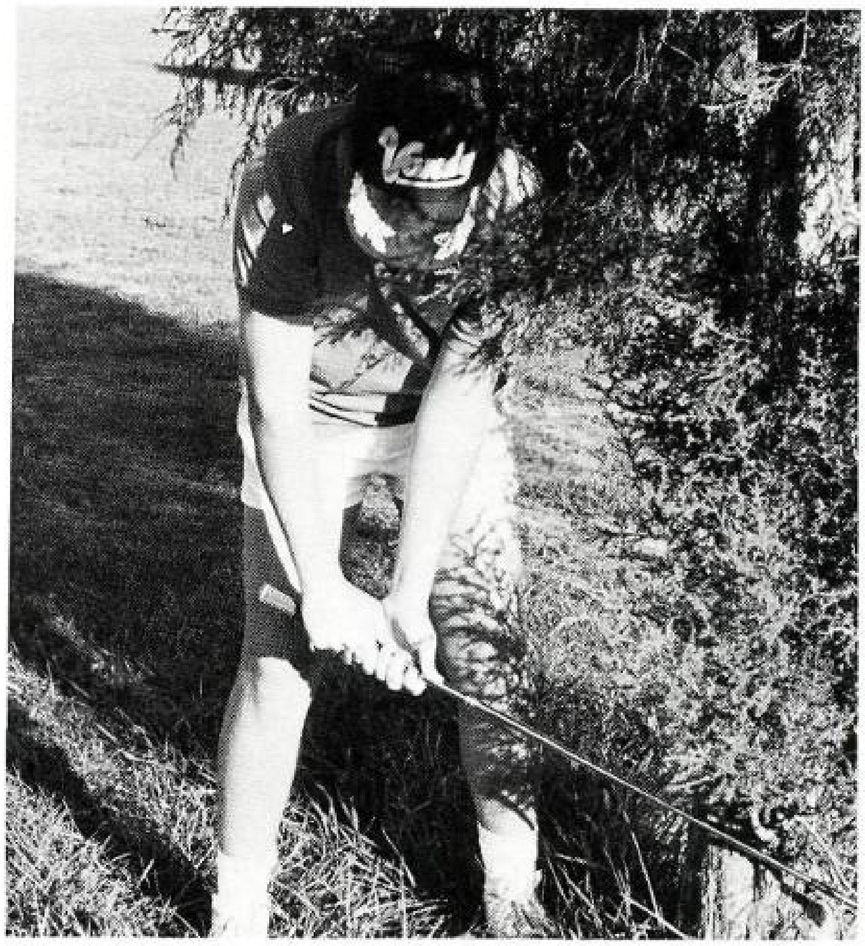
Plowing for Ground. *Richard Johns surges ahead to try to gain ground for the offense, but this defender has other ideas. — Photo by Jim Davis.*

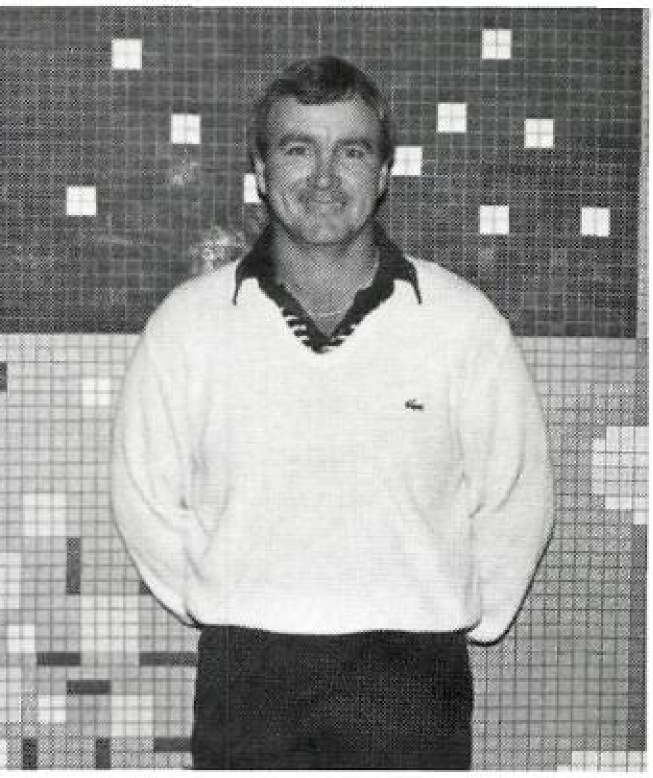




Teeing Off. *Golf requires many hours of practicing swings and particular shots. Parrish Brown is shown as he is trying to perfect an important aspect of a game — teeing off.*
A Winning Swing. *Craig Love's hours of practice resulted in his representing Smyrna High at the regional golf tournaments at Henry Horton State Park. Here he is shown preparing to make a long drive.*







SHS GOLF

The Drive for Victory

This year saw the return of a golf team to the bulldog campus. Harry Gill offered to serve as coach for anyone interested in forming a golf team. Although several boys expressed interest initially, only four boys compiled the team.

Although hindered by a lack of experience, these four boys demonstrated an expert knowledge of the game and a determination to do their best. Throughout the season, they made a respectable showing in all the matches and tournaments.

All S.H.S. golfers participated in the district tournaments. However, only Craig Love qualififed for the regional matches held at Henry Horton State Park.

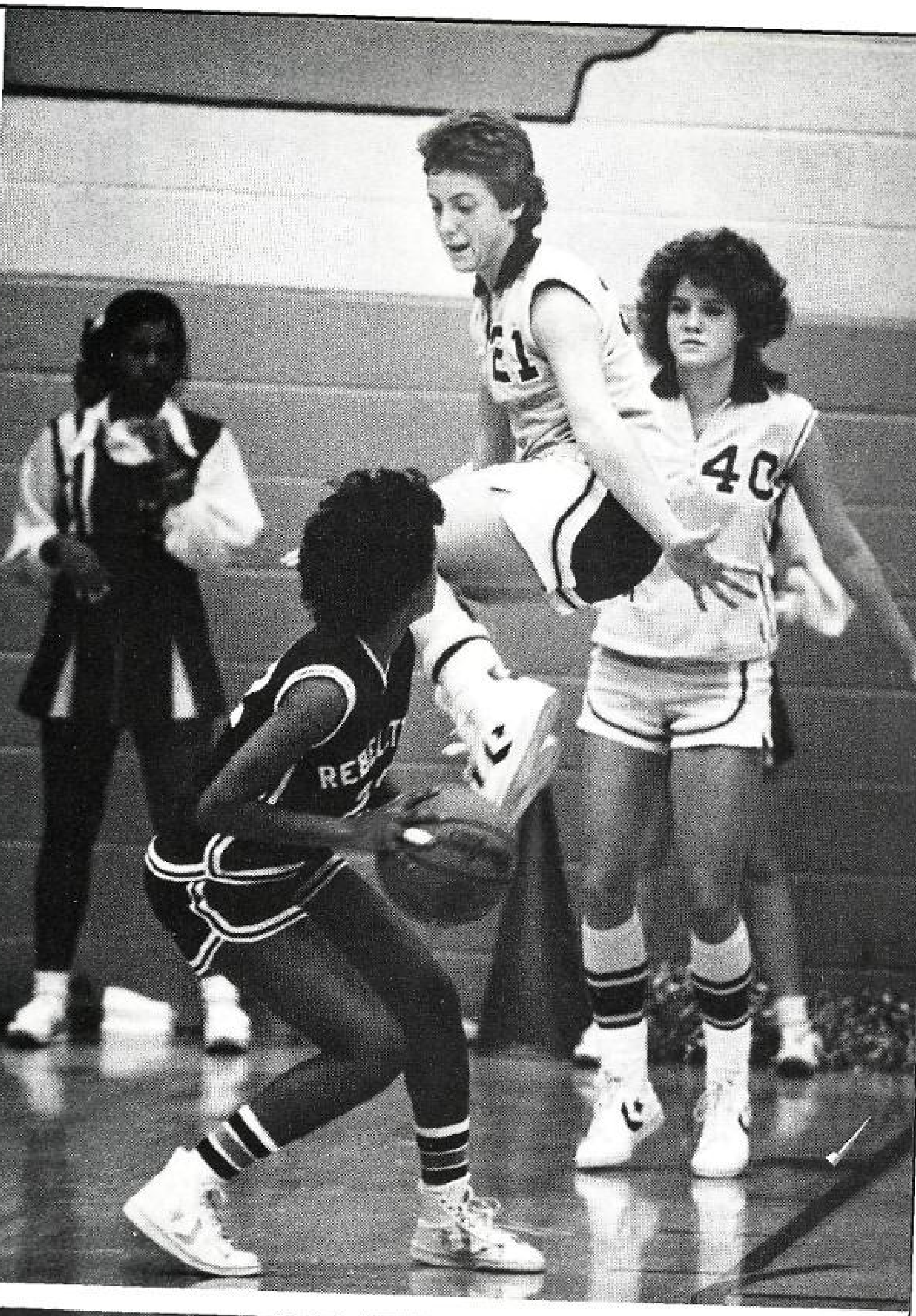
S.H.S. Golf Team. Standing: *Steve Short, Craig Love,* ***Kneeling:*** *Mark Jones, Parrish Brown.*
Roughing It. *The game of golf also has its handicaps. One of these is finding your ball in the midst of the underbrush. Mark Jones is shown as he attempts to retrieve his ball from under a tree.*
Coach. *Harry Gill.*

LADY BULLDOGS

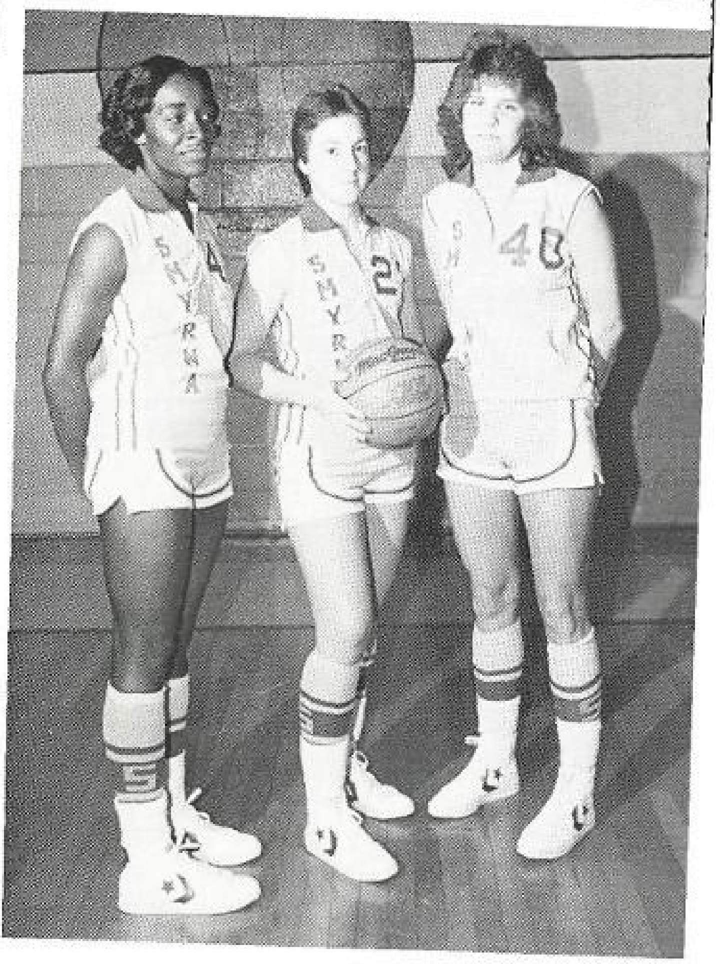
Go for the Goal

The basketball team have very optimistic feelings about their 1983-84 season. A few of the team members were interviewed by a member of the yearbook staff about their feelings on this year's season.

Candy Whitley feels very confident about the team's progress: "I think our team will be a tough contender in the district. We are in an improving and rebuilding stage, and I think we'll do just fine." Wendy Basham, a sophomore, feels that this year's team will be "aggressive and tough." Ida Tucker emphasized the importance of team support when she commented, "I think we will be tough, and we have a strong bench behind us." Leigh Miller looks forward to a successful season. She stated, "We have a strong starting line up, and I think we will have a very promising season."

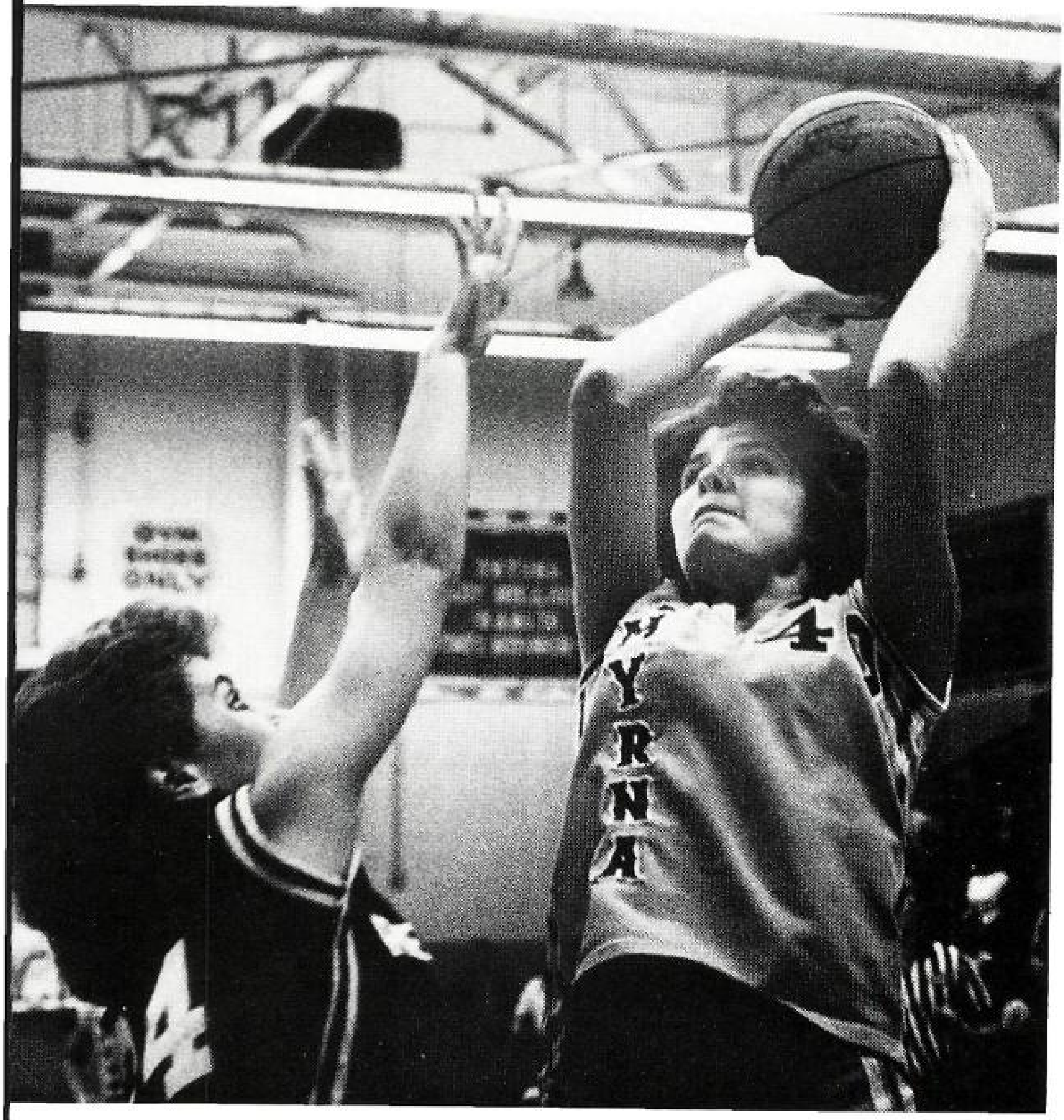


Head High Defense. *Candy Whitley's shooting ability is surpassed only by her outstanding defensive tactics. The Franklin Rebellettes have a difficult time passing around the energetic Whitley. — Photo by Jim Davis.*



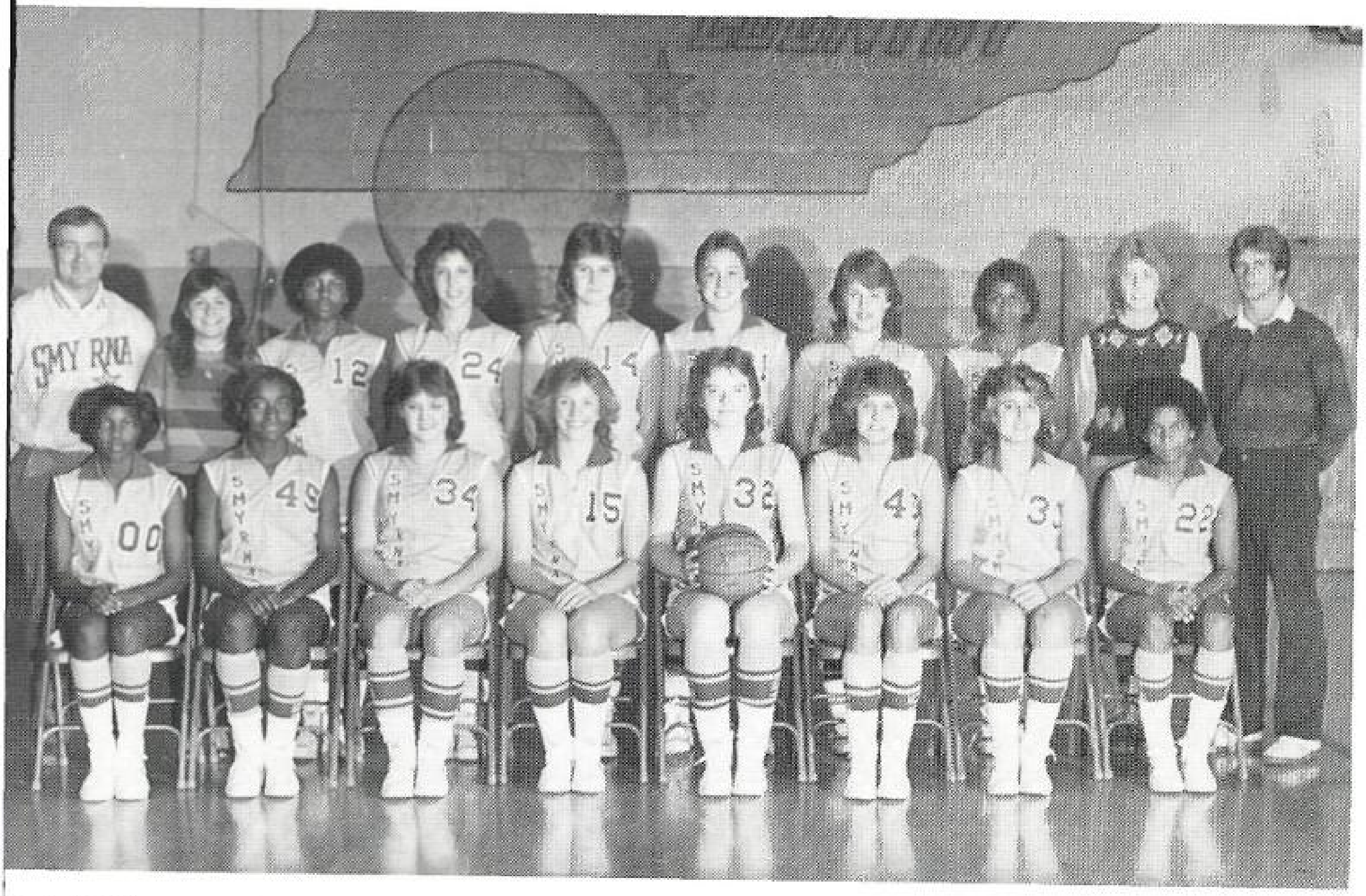
Yet Another Victory Celebration. *The hardwork for the girls' basketball team is worth it when they can share in the excitement of an important victory.*

Seniors. *Janice Taylor, Candy Whitley, Lisa Tyson.*



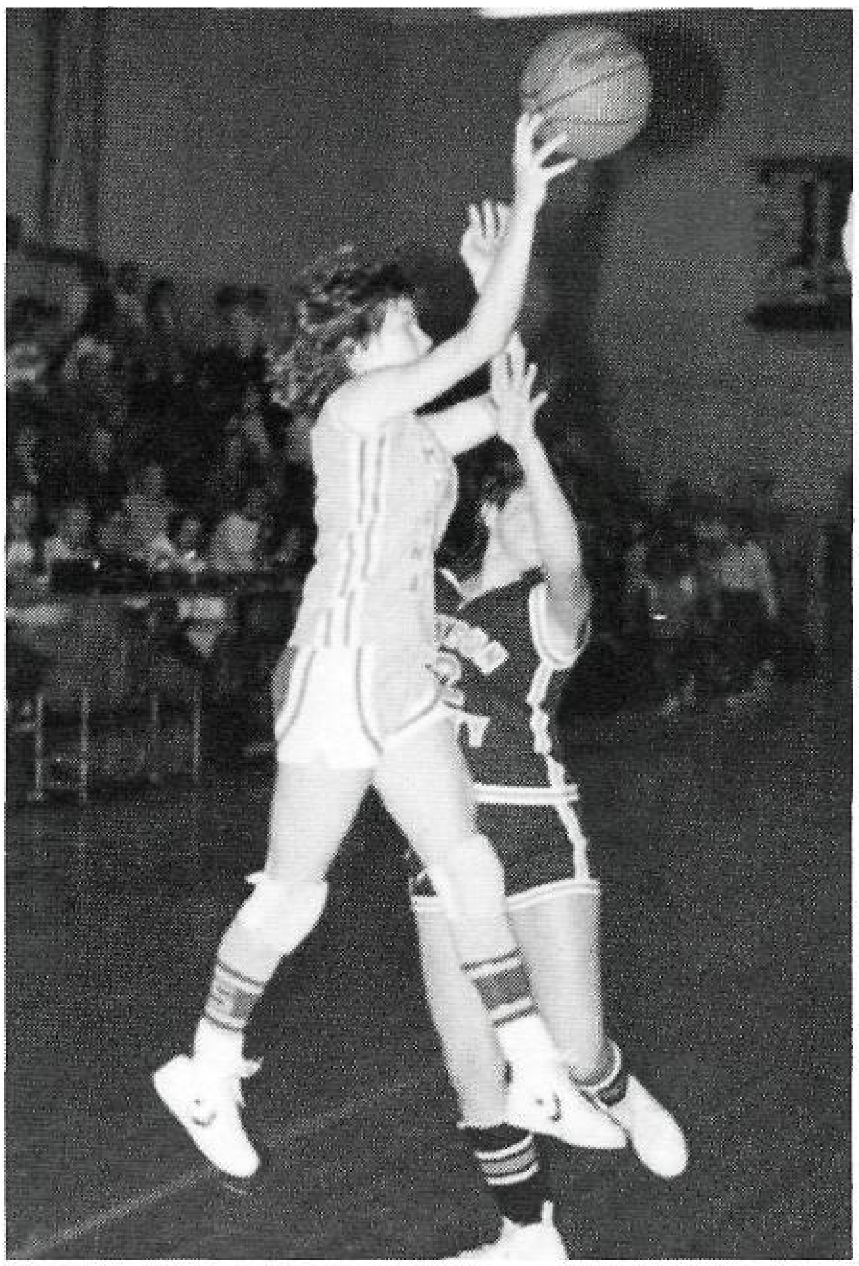
Shooting for the Sky. *Jump shooting takes deep determination and a good eye. Lisa Tyson displays these qualities as she takes a jump shot against Franklin. — Photo by Jim Davis.*

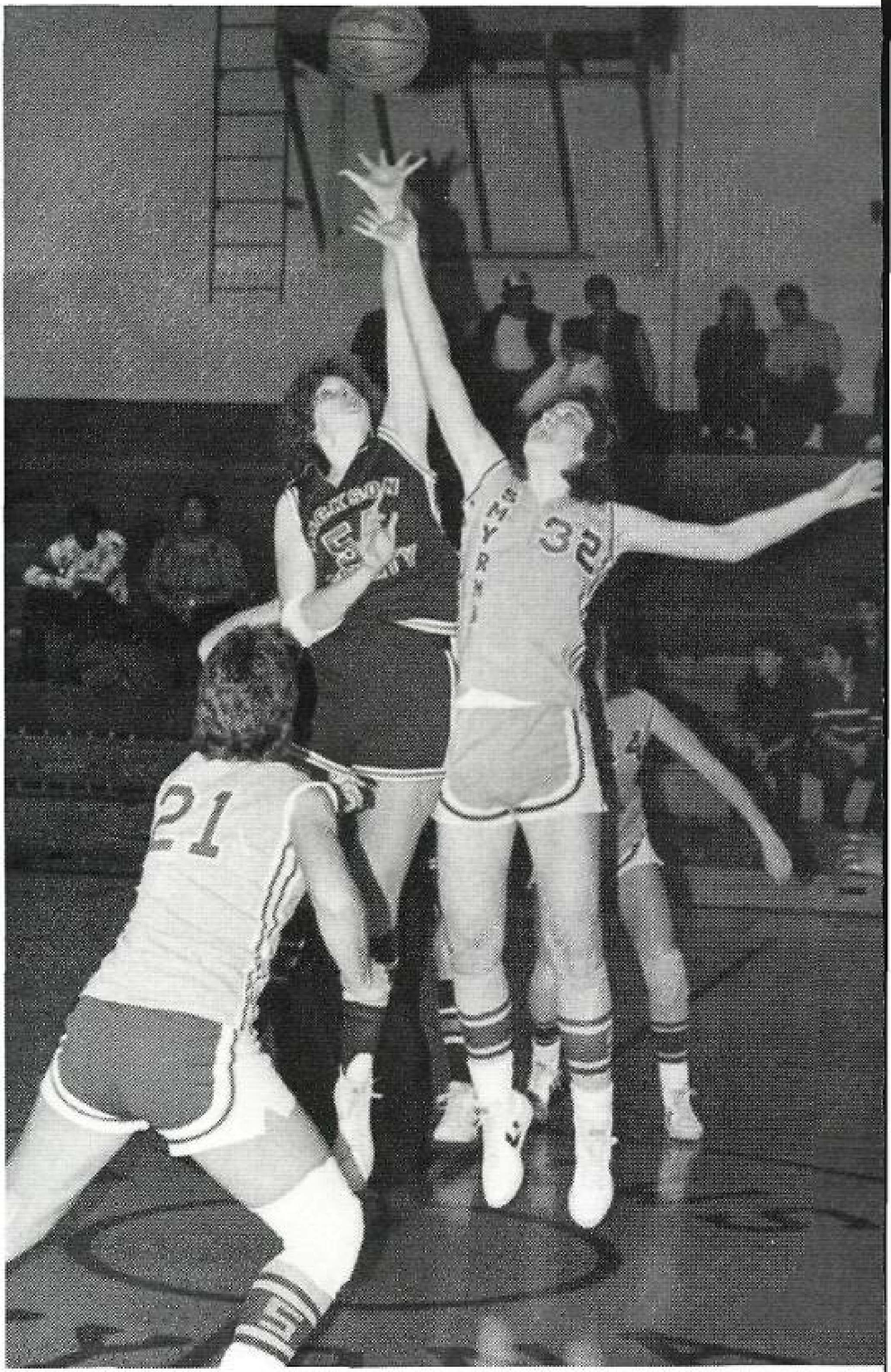
Coaches. *Harry Gill and Bobby Mullins.*



Lady Bulldogs. Standing. *Coach Gill, Kristie Wilson, Tina Malone, Rhonda Hartman, Ida Tucker, Candy Whitley, Greta Hale, Tonia Batey, Teresa Hancock, Coach Mullins.*
Sitting. *Lenora Grandieson, Janice Taylor, Trish Bryant, Leigh Miller, Lisa Wilson, Lisa Tyson, Wendy Basham, Yolanda Sales.*

GIRLS' BASKETBALL ON THE MOVE





Fighting With Style and Grace

The Smyrna High School girls' basketball team is undergoing a rebuilding process. The coaches emphasize the fundamentals and the fulfillment of the potential talents possessed by each girl in order to produce a well-balanced team. Coach Gill commented, "Coach Mullins and I are very proud of the effort put forth by the girls. They attended summer camps and put in countless hours of practice."

Taking off the Pressure. *Ida Tucker looks for a teammate to catch her pass in order to keep the ball away from the Dixon County defenders.*

The Jump for Control. *Getting possession of the ball during the first crucial seconds of the game can give a team the extra edge that will spur them on to victory. Here, Lisa Wilson leaps high to tap the ball to her teammates.*

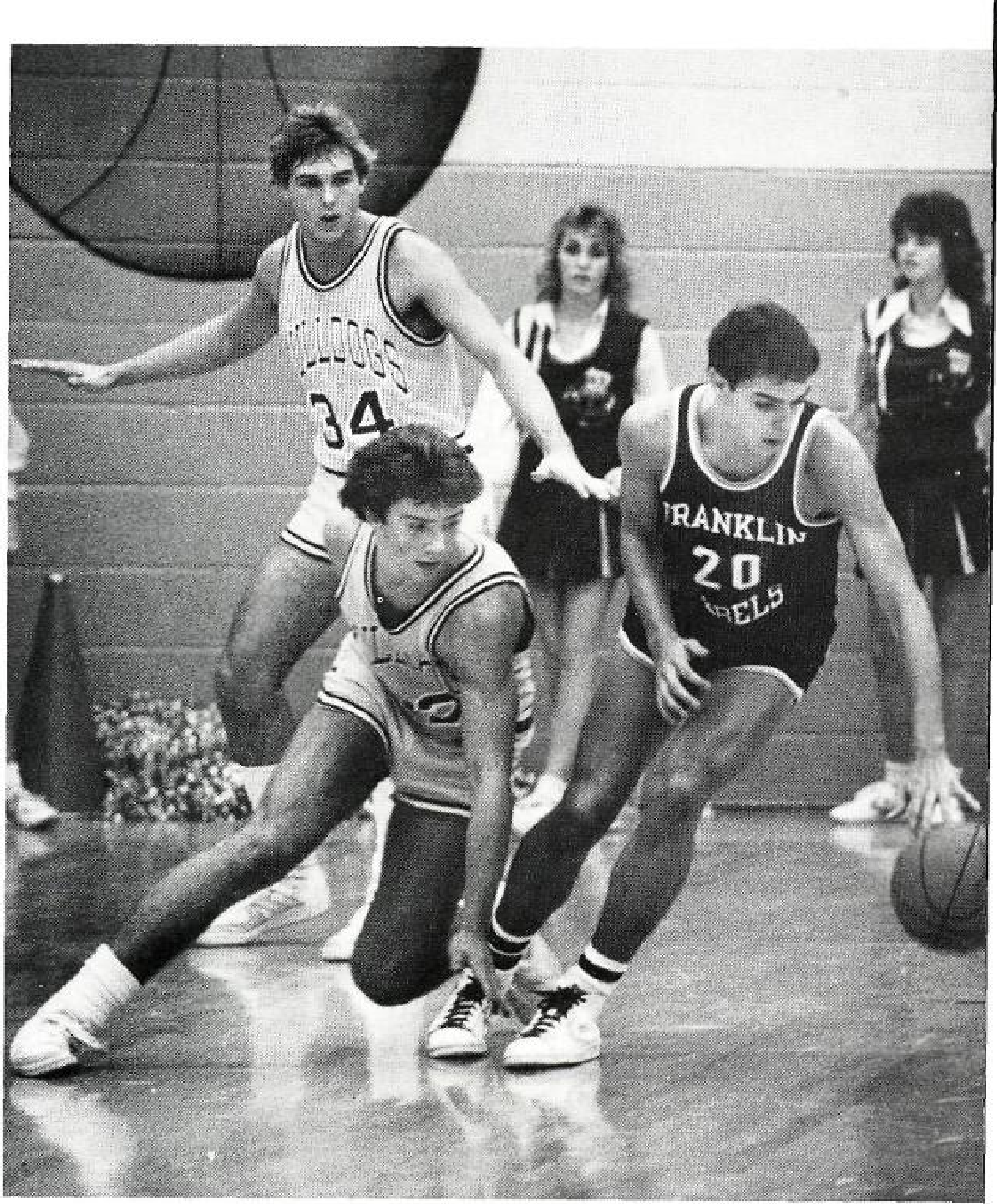
Scrambling for the Ball. *Putting forth her best effort, Trish Bryant struggles to take the ball from the grasp of the Dixon County defender. — Photo by Jim Davis.*

Going for the Score. *Trish Bryant winds around her opponents to beat them down the floor for two points. — Photo by Jim Davis.*
Whoosh! *Candy Whitley takes one of her famous corner shots to the hoop for a Smyrna score.*
Managers. *Teresa Hancock and Kristie Wilson.*

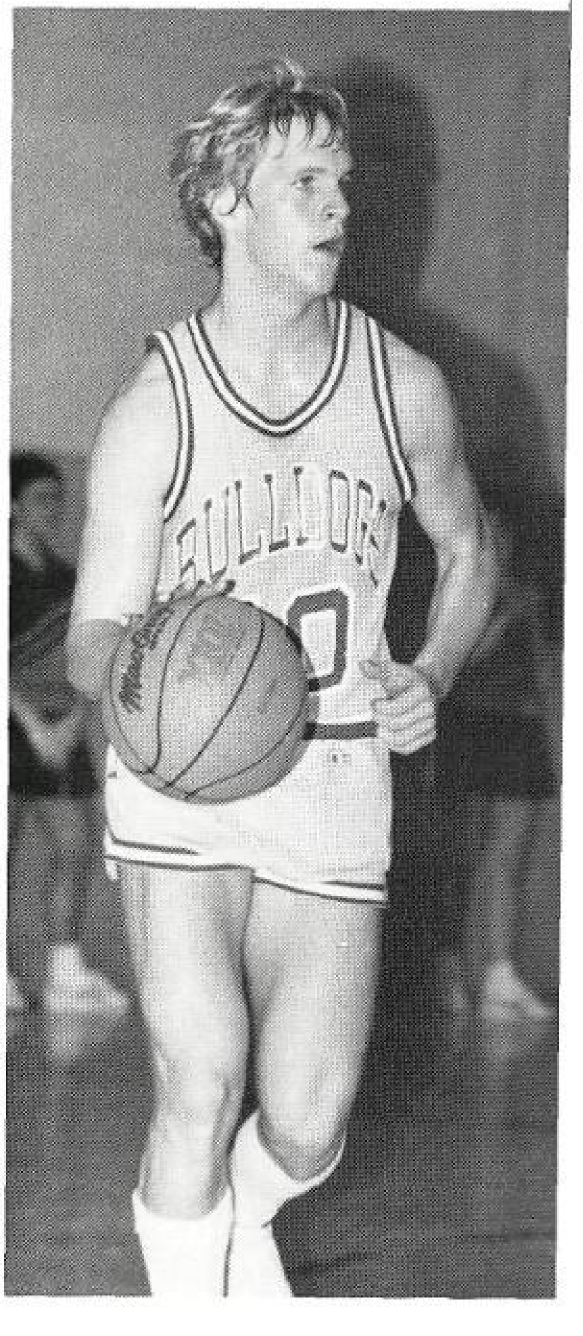
BOYS' BASKETBALL

The 1983-84 boys' basketball team will rely on accurate shooting, strength, and a well-timed defense plan to produce a winning season. The team expects the district games to be very competitive and well-balanced because of the addition of Beech High School, which has a very strong team. The S.H.S. team has lost four starters, but the sophomores on this year's team look very promising. Coach Miller said that the team has progressed greatly in the past five years and has developed into a competitive team in the district. Coach Miller also stressed that "continuity in the program" throughout the players' junior high and high school years is vital to the success of the team.

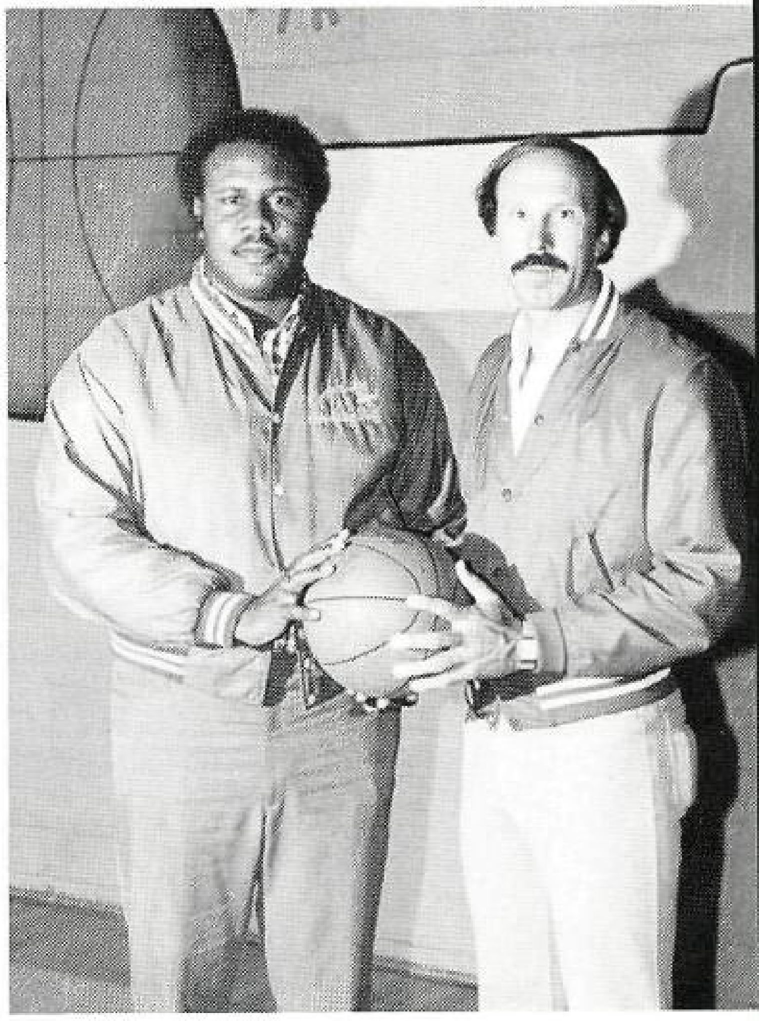
Going for the Steal. *Showing his quickness and agility, Brad Miller attempts to steal the ball from a district foe. — Photo by Jim Davis.*
Preparing for a Strategic Pass. *The game of basketball requires quickness of the mind and body. Ken Thomas demonstrates how a player must quickly plot his next move as he prepares to pass into the lane.*
Setting up the Offense. *Point guard Bob Durham looks up court after an inbound play to get the signal from Coach Miller. The point guard is an important but often overlooked position. His purpose is to get the ball to an open player for the shot.*

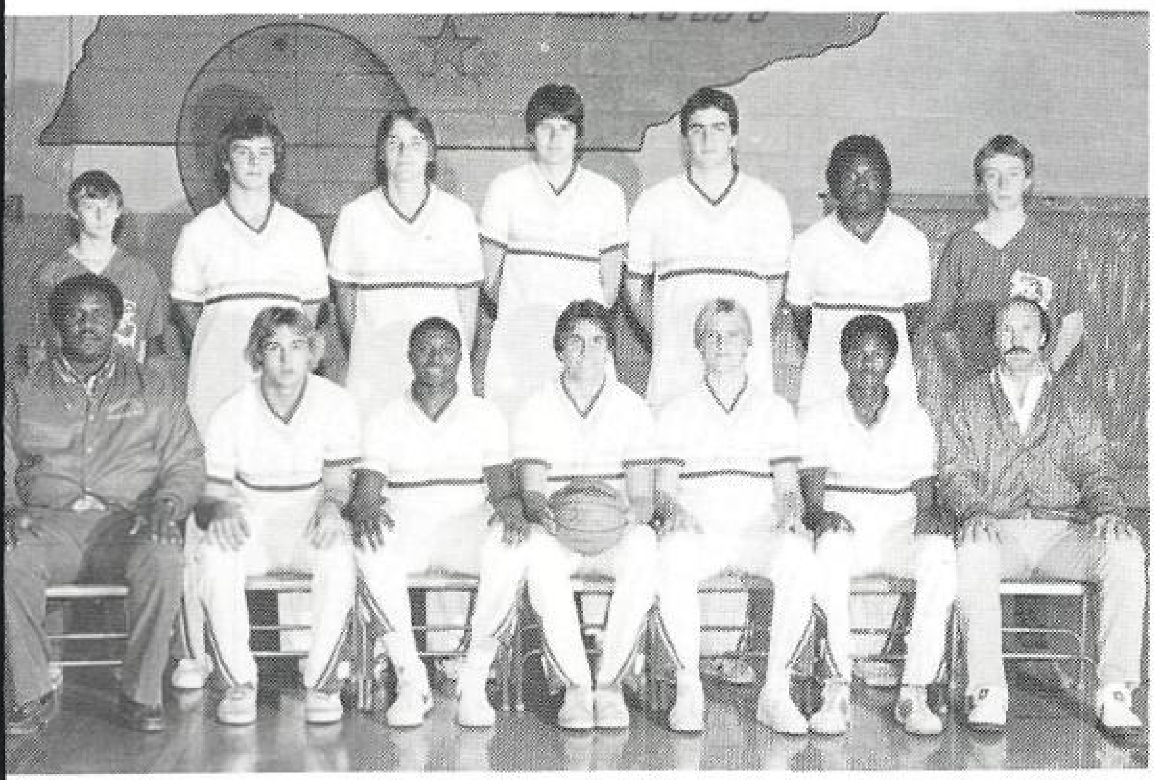


BULLDOGS
34
11



A Shot in the Right Direction



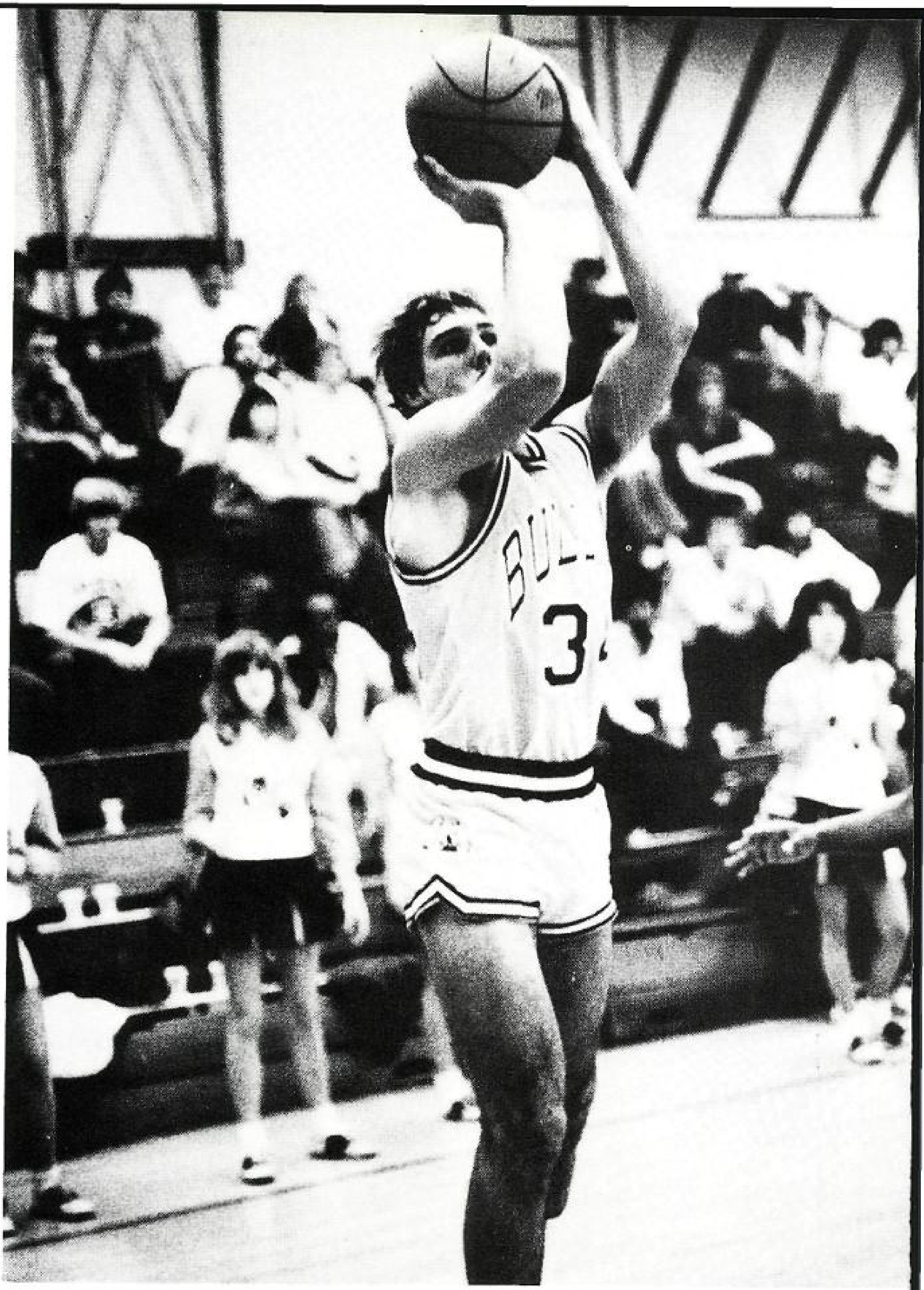


Sky High on Bulldog Basketball. *One of Isiah Kelley's most important assets to the basketball team is his defensive ability. Here, Isiah leaps skyward in an attempt to block an opponent's shot. — Photo by Jim Davis.*

Coaches. *Leo Martin and Gary Miller.*

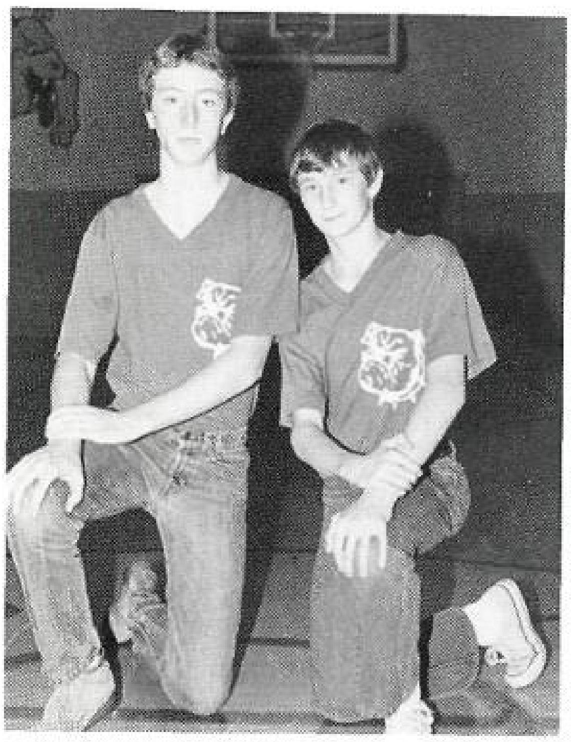
Boys' Senior Varsity Basketball Team. Sitting: *Coach Leo Martin, Ken Thomas, Isiah Kelly, Randy McGlaun, Bob Durham, Johnny Mayes, Coach Gary Miller.*

Standing: *Manager Brian Wildes, Brad Miller, Kerry Morris, Trey Crutcher, Scott West, William Malone, Manager Gary West.*



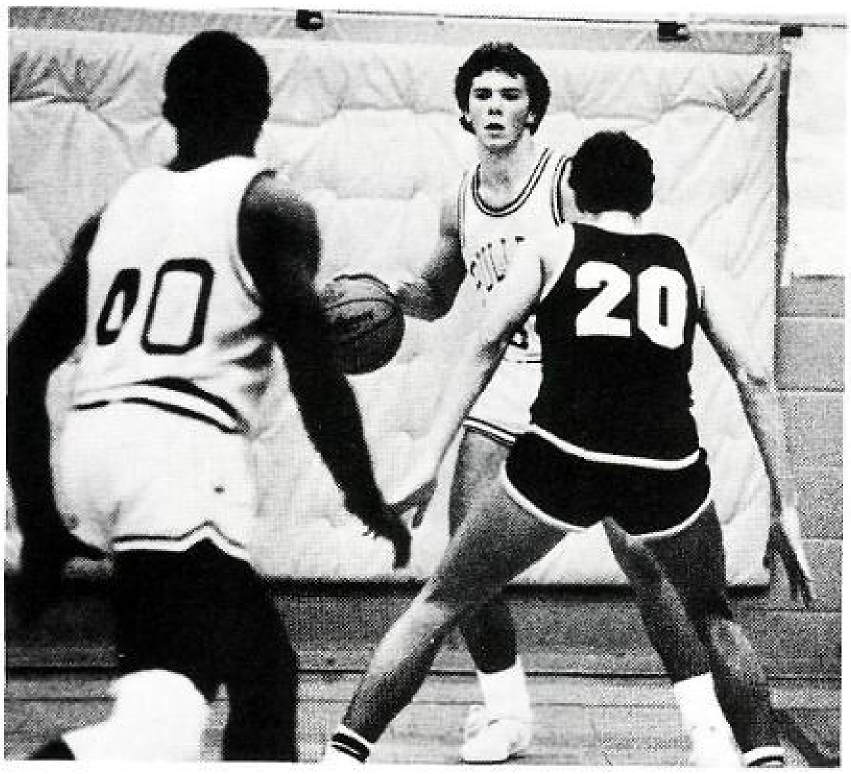
String Music. *A leading scorer for the bulldogs, Ken Thomas displays perfect form as he jumps for two crucial points. — Photo by Jim Davis.*

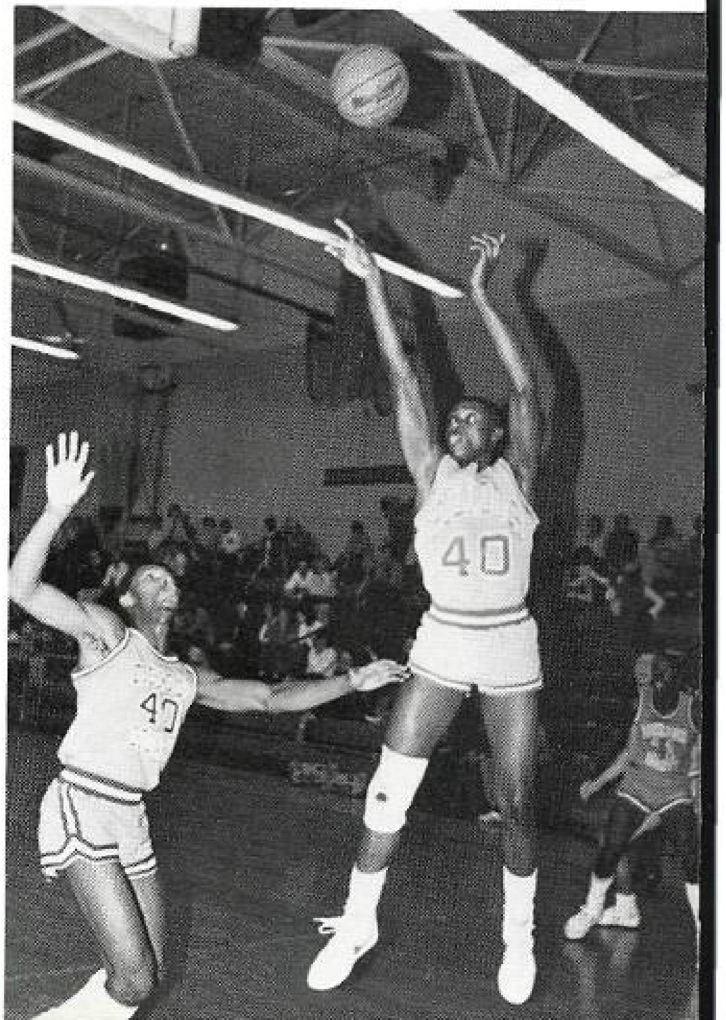
Managers. *Gary West and Brian Wildes.*

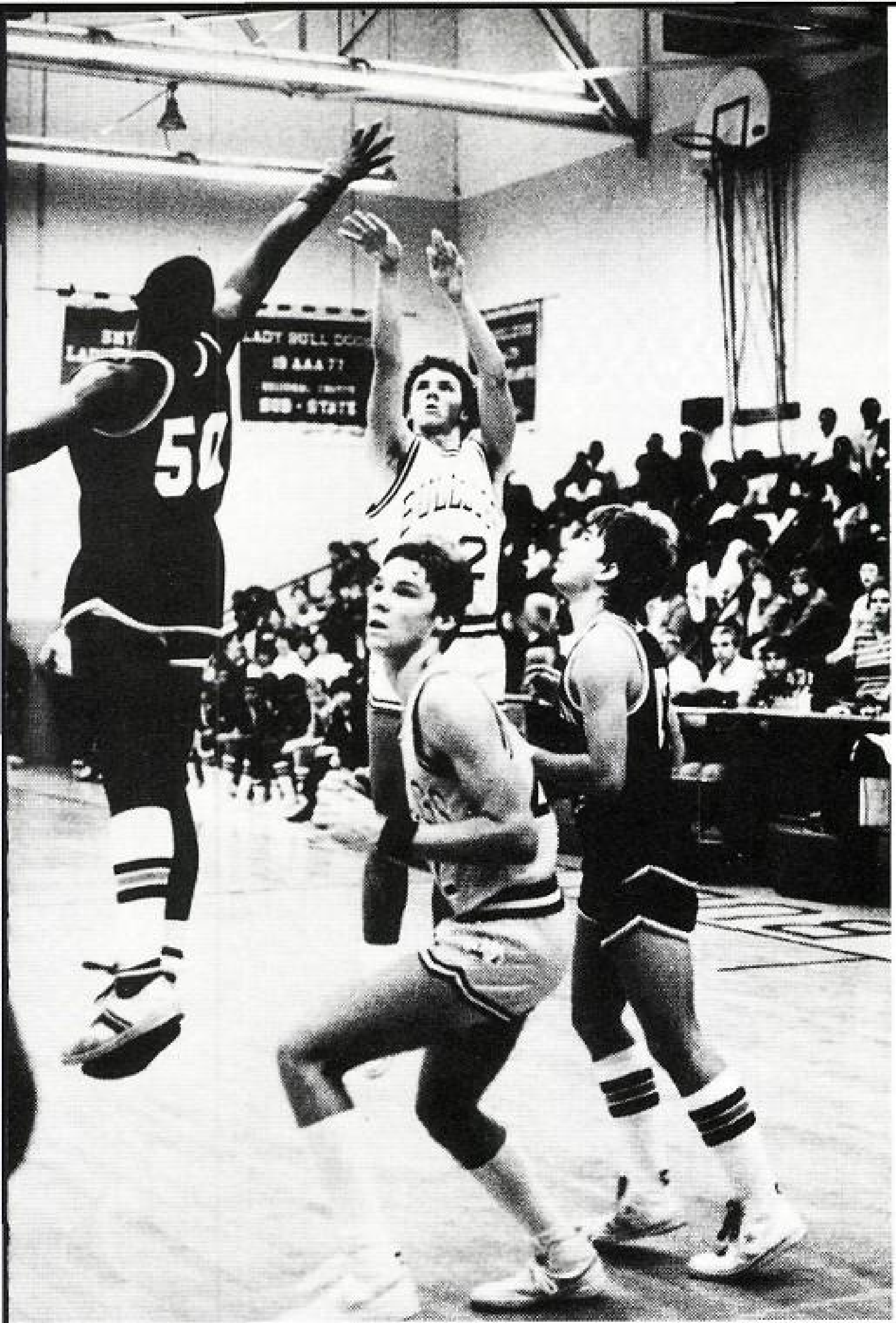


Breaking the Press. *Brad Miller attempts to break a full court press applied by district rivals Franklin as Isiah Kelly cuts across the court, trying to get open for a pass. — Photo by Jim Davis.*

Practice Pays Off. *Senior Isiah Kelley finds that years of practice and hard work do have their rewards. He displays strength and accuracy as he shoots for two points against opponents Dickson County.*

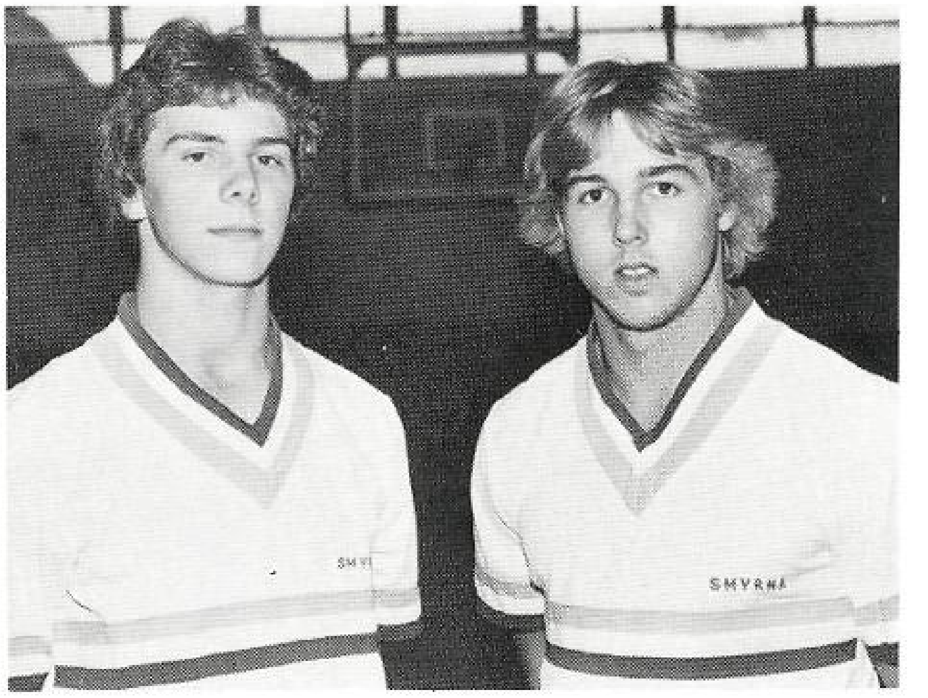






WORKING ON A WINNING SEASON

Forwarding Our Reputation



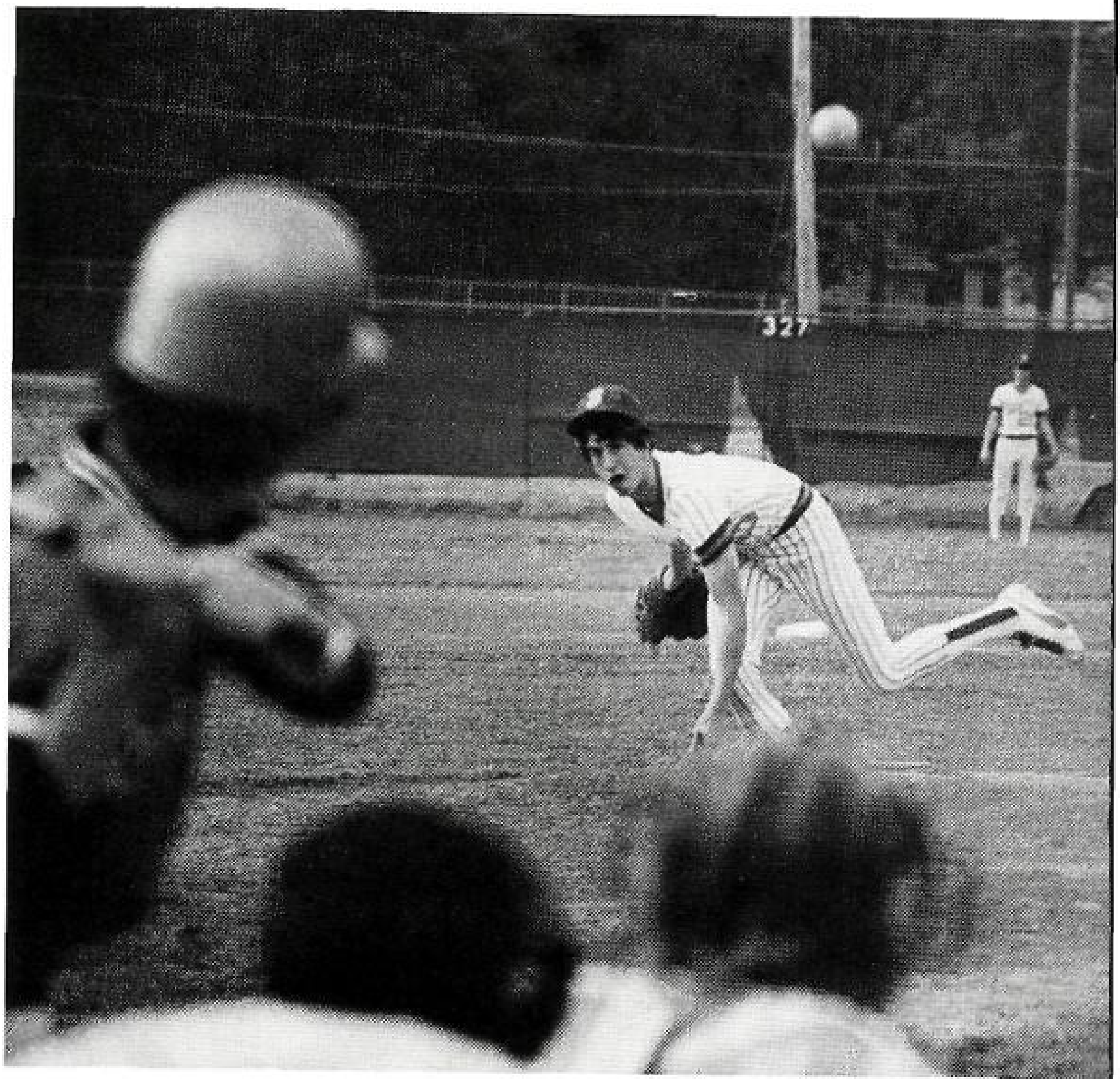
Junior Varsity. Sitting: *Randy McGlaun, Greg Spurlock, Freddie Gibson, James Johnson.* ***Standing:*** *Greg Riddle, Trey Crutcher, Scott West, Bryon Jordon.*

The boys' basketball team feels that closeness is one of the keys to good teamwork. The yearbook staff interviewed some of the players about their feelings concerning this year's team. Isiah Kelly said that the fact that the team is close and there is no arguing among teammates allows the players to handle plays, shoot, and respond better. Isiah also predicted that the team will go further this year because the whole team will be pulling toward the same goals. Randy McGlaun, who helps out on both offense and defense, pointed out that he believes that there is a good team out on the floor this year and they all rely on Coach Miller for advice and support.

That Special Point. *Brad Miller rips a two pointer toward the goal against the Franklin Rebels. Kerry Morris stands in readiness, awaiting the possible rebound. — Photo by Jim Davis.*

Captains: *Brad Miller, Ken Thomas.*

CATCHING FIRE FOR A WINNING SEASON

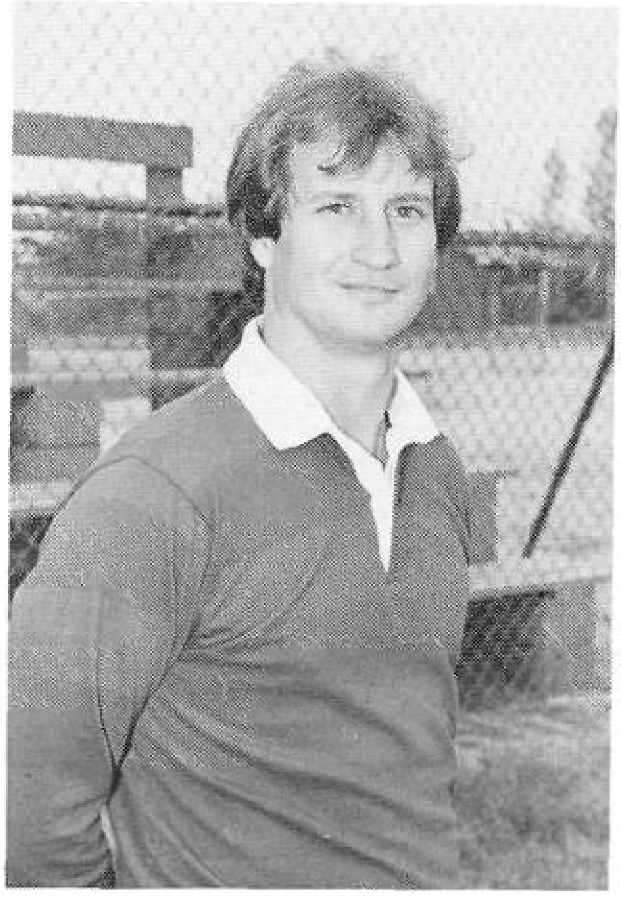


Bulldog Baseball Ignites

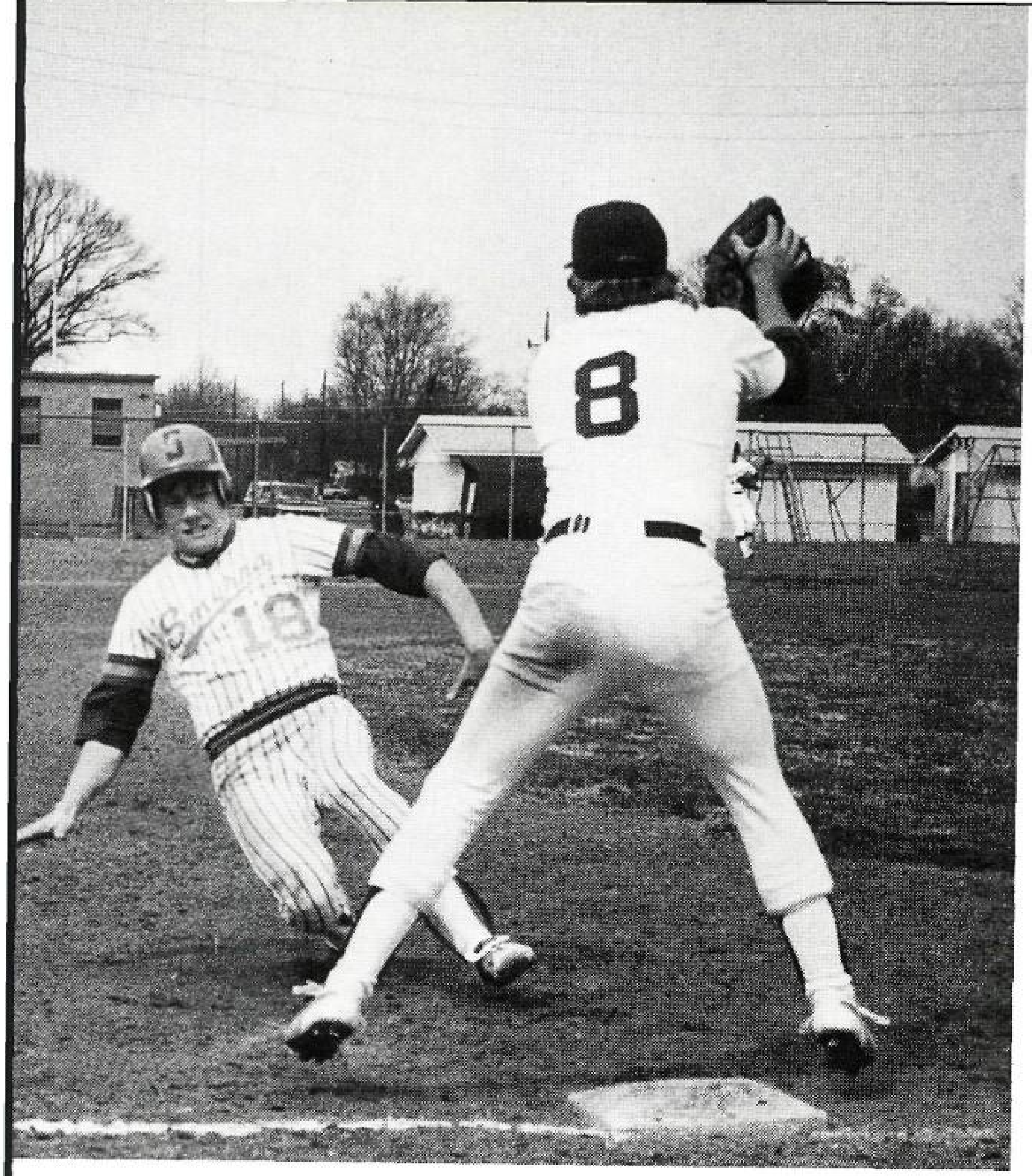
Since baseball began as an interscholastic sport at Smyrna High School, twenty young men have participated on an intercollegiate baseball team. This year, four young men may have the opportunity to further their baseball careers.

With experience returning to the team and a good sophomore class, this year promises to be exciting. This year's schedule is highlighted with a total of thirty games, including a trip to the prestigious Worth Invitational Tournament in Tullahoma. Beech High School, 1981 State AA Champions, have several key members returning to their team and may prove to be tough opponents also. However, the baseball team, under the guidance of Coach Bobby Mullins, is aiming for a winning season.

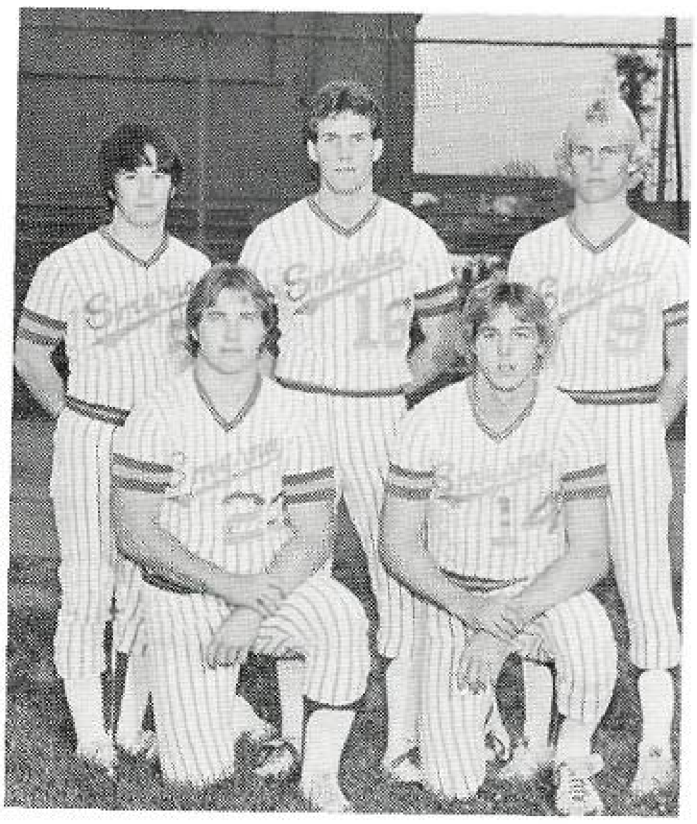
Smyrna's Finest Fireman. *Philip Shadowens, Smyrna High School's boys' varsity pitcher who had a 6-3 record last year, prepares to hurl his fastball in a tough district game. — Photo by Jim Davis.*



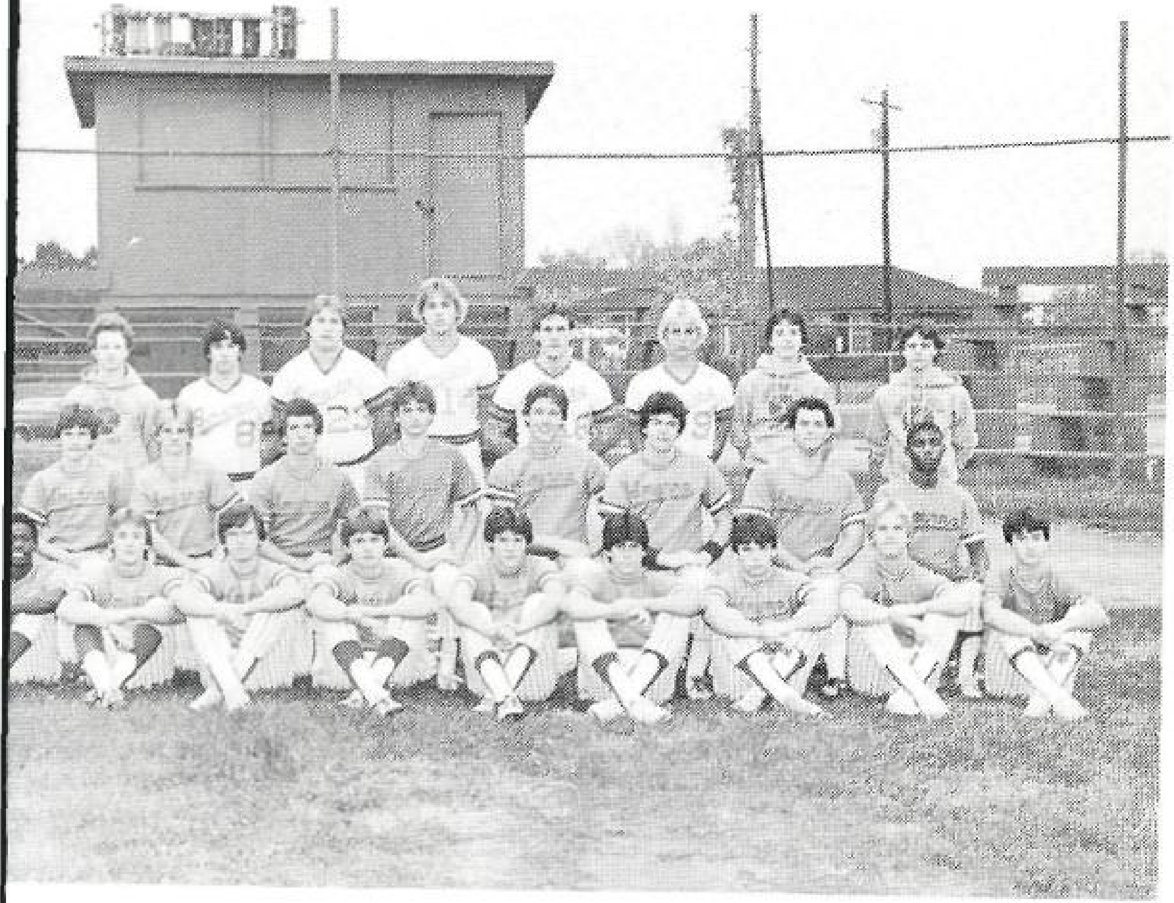
Coach. *Bobby Mullins.*
Look Out Hank Aaron. *Ken Thomas rounds third after blasting one of his many home runs. Ken is a vital part of the team and is a tremendous boost to the team's morale. — Photo by Jim Davis.*



Hitting the Dirt. *To avoid being tagged out and subsequently ending a late inning rally, Steve Scarlett slides underneath the legs of a Riverdale player. — Photo by Jim Davis.*



Seniors: Kneeling: *Kevin Piercy, Ken Thomas.* ***Standing:*** *Don Johnson, Jeff Windrow, Sam Tucker.*

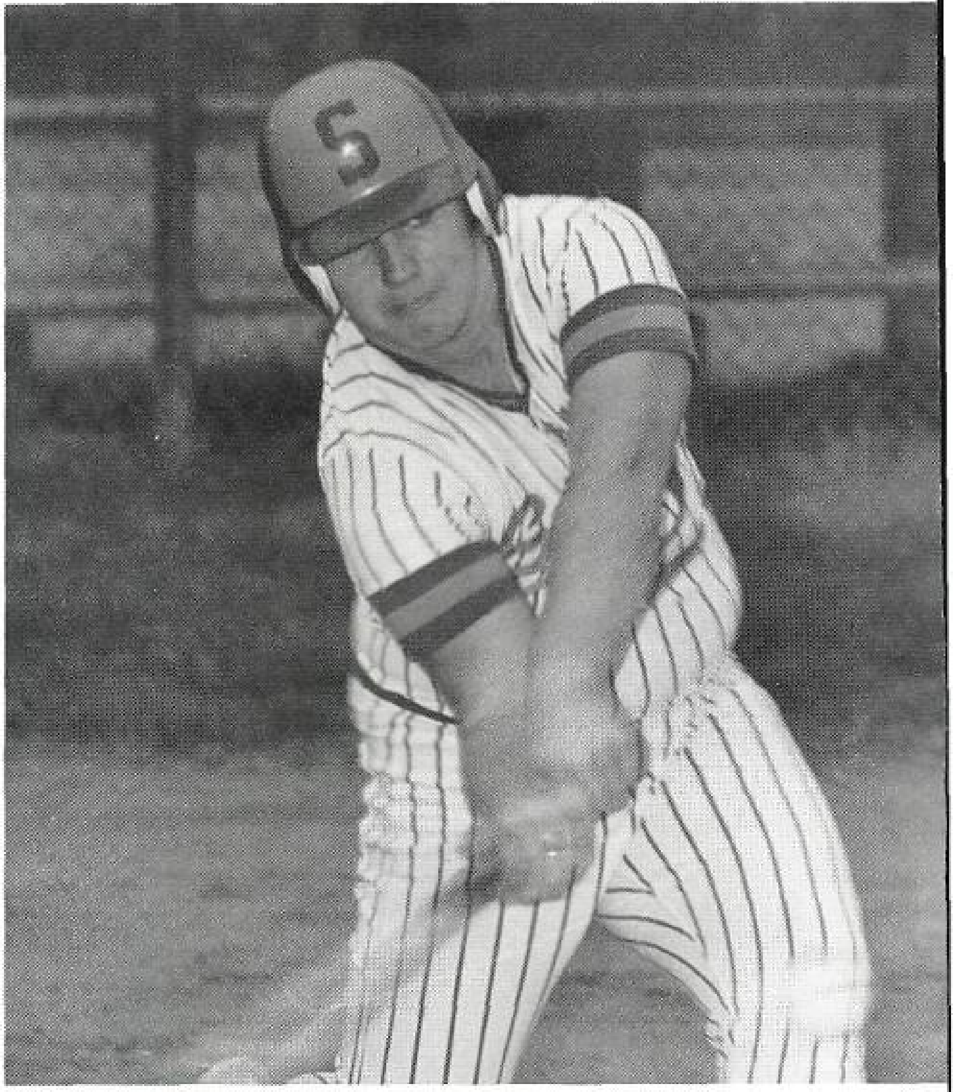


he Smyrna High Baseball Team. Row 1: *Barry Lewis, Donnie Smith, Bryon Jordon, Chris Preston, ee Frank, Keith Story, Richard Johns, Bob Durham, Matt King.*

ow 2: Harold Farmer, Tim Dye, Philip Shadowens, Danny Brewer, Steve Scarlett, David McGowan, hris Burke, Tommy Way.

ow 3: Shayne Hunter, Don Johnson, Kevin Piercy, Ken Thomas, Jeff Windrow, Sam Tucker, Keith elchance, Todd Snell.

Managers. *Todd Snell, Keith Welchance, Shayne Hunter.*



Team Powerhouses. *The offense in the game of baseball is essential to the production of a winning season. Pictured here are the team's homerun leaders, Ken Thomas and Kevin Piercy.*

Showing Strength and Determination. *Ken Thomas concentrates on throwing a fast strike to his opponent to spur the bulldogs on to victory, proving that pitching is a major factor in every game of baseball. — Photo by Jim Davis.*

His Eye on the Ball. *Kevin Piercy puts all of his strength behind his swing to demonstrate his value to bulldog baseball.*

S.H.S. BASEBALL

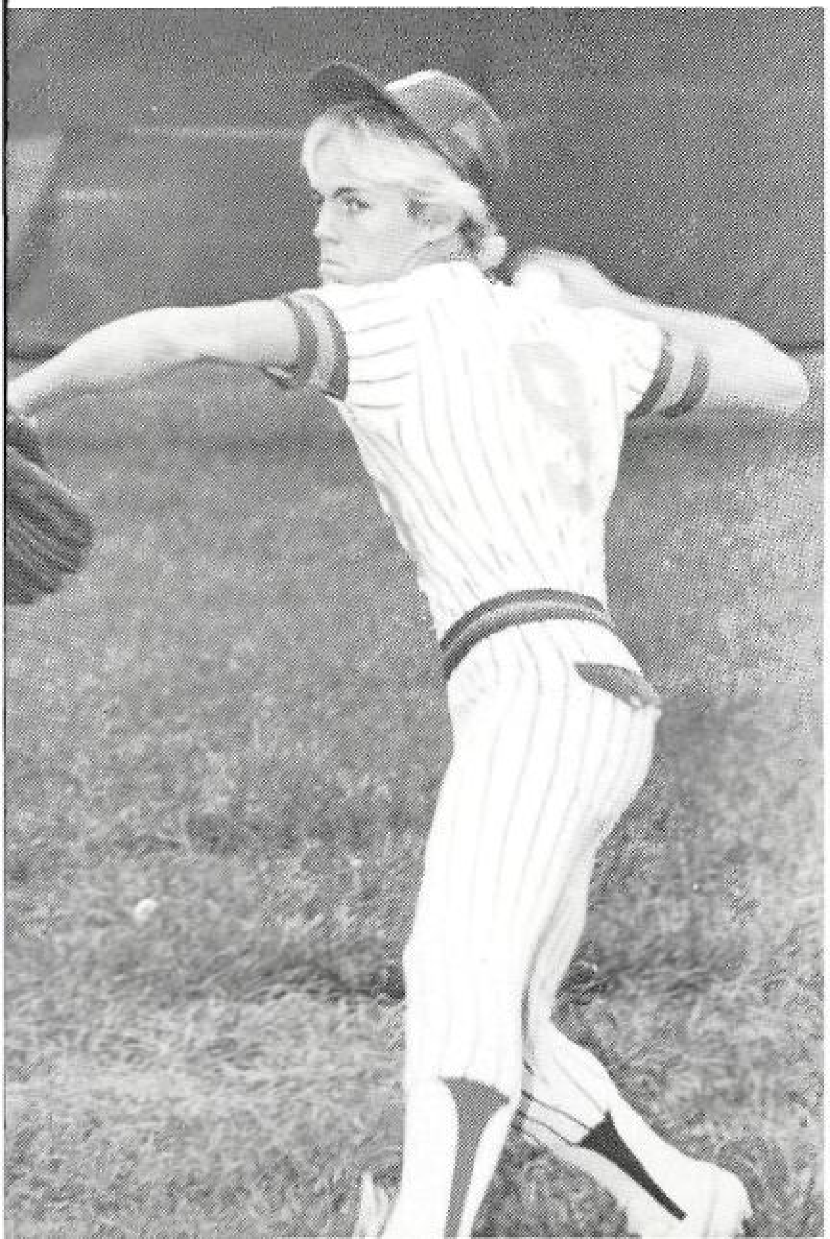
Swinging for the Fence

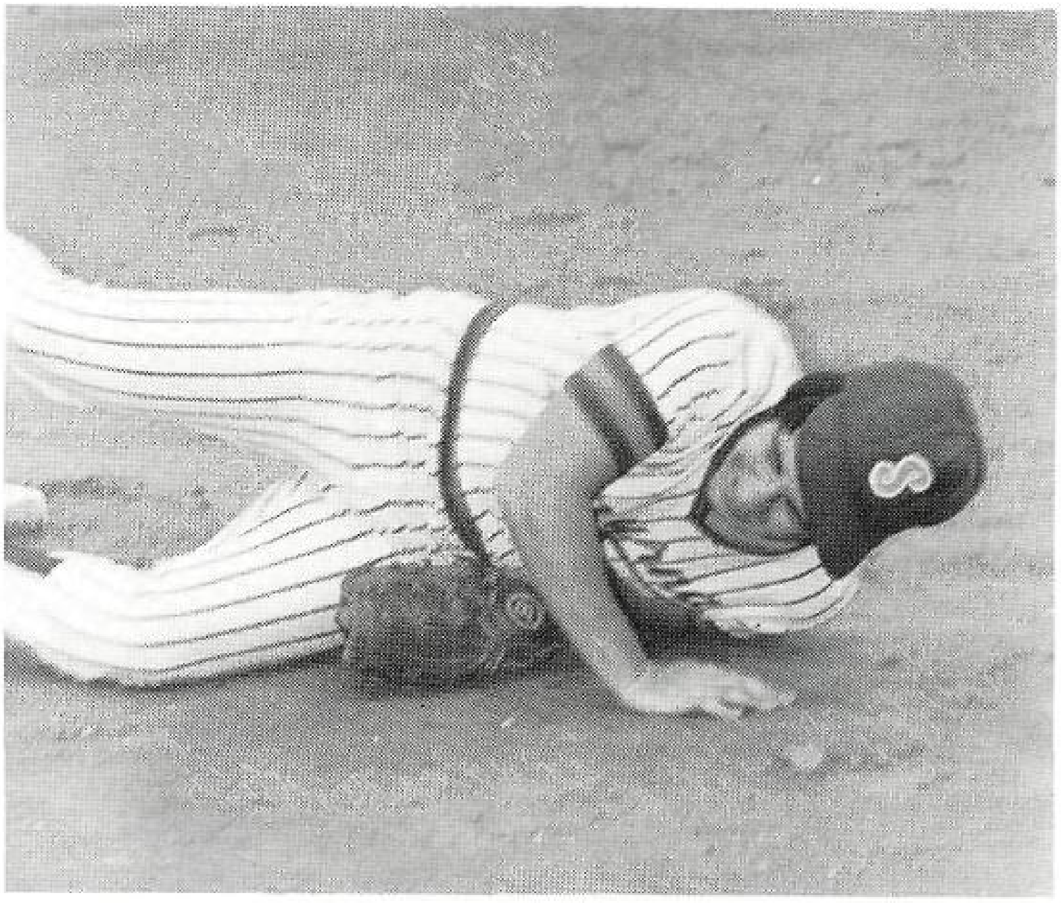
The 1983-84 Smyrna High School baseball team will be comprised of twenty-three players, including eleven members returning from last year's team. Leading the team will be 1983 All-District Catcher Ken Thomas and 1983 All-District Third Baseman Kevin Piercy. Last year several offensive records were set. Ken Thomas set a new record for home runs with ten. Kevin Piercy set the batting average record with a .563 average. A new team record for home runs was also set — thirty-nine home runs in twenty-four games.

Much of the emphasis during the fall practice has been placed on pitching and defense. Eight pitchers will take to the mound this year. Heading this group will be last year's pitcher, Philip Shadowens, with the best record — six wins and three losses. Other pitchers include seniors Ken Thomas, Kevin Piercy, Sam Tucker; junior Tim Dye; and sophomores Chris Preston, Keith Story, and Bryon Jordon. Defense will be headed by Ken Thomas, catcher; Don Johnson, second baseman; David McGowen, shortstop; and Sam Tucker, center-field.

Nine of the twelve new players this year are sophomores, and several of these will be starting in the line-up before the season is completed. Richard Johns and Bob Durham will be catching and playing in the outfield. Lee Frank will back up Piercy at third base.

Making the Play. *Jeff Windrow contemplates his next move after scooping the ball from the outfield grass.*

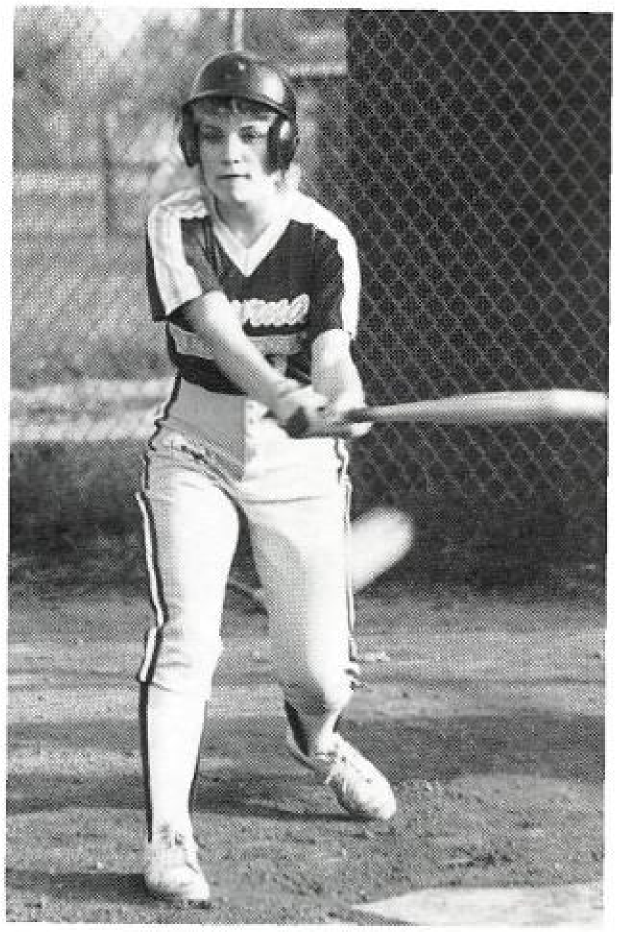




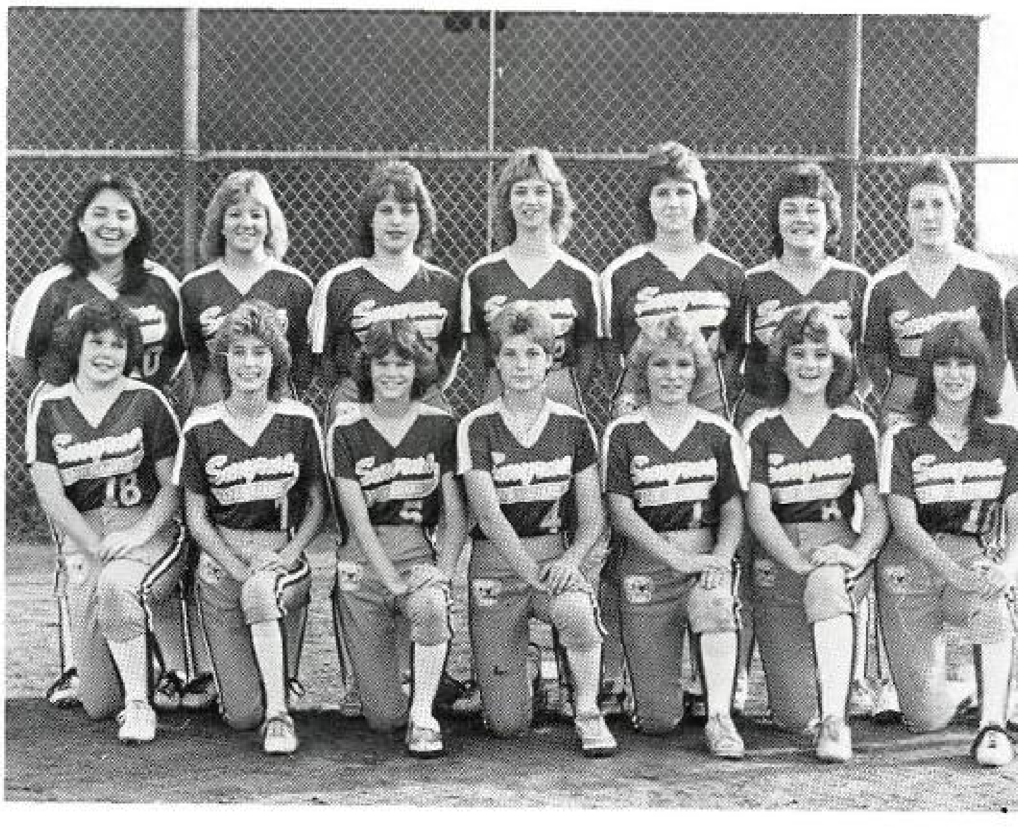
Concentrating on the Ball. *Sam Tucker quickly snags a sharp ground ball hit to centerfield and attempts to shoot out a baserunner at second base.*

Out at Second . . . Almost. *Don Johnson hits the dirt after attempting to catch a line drive that would complete a double play.*

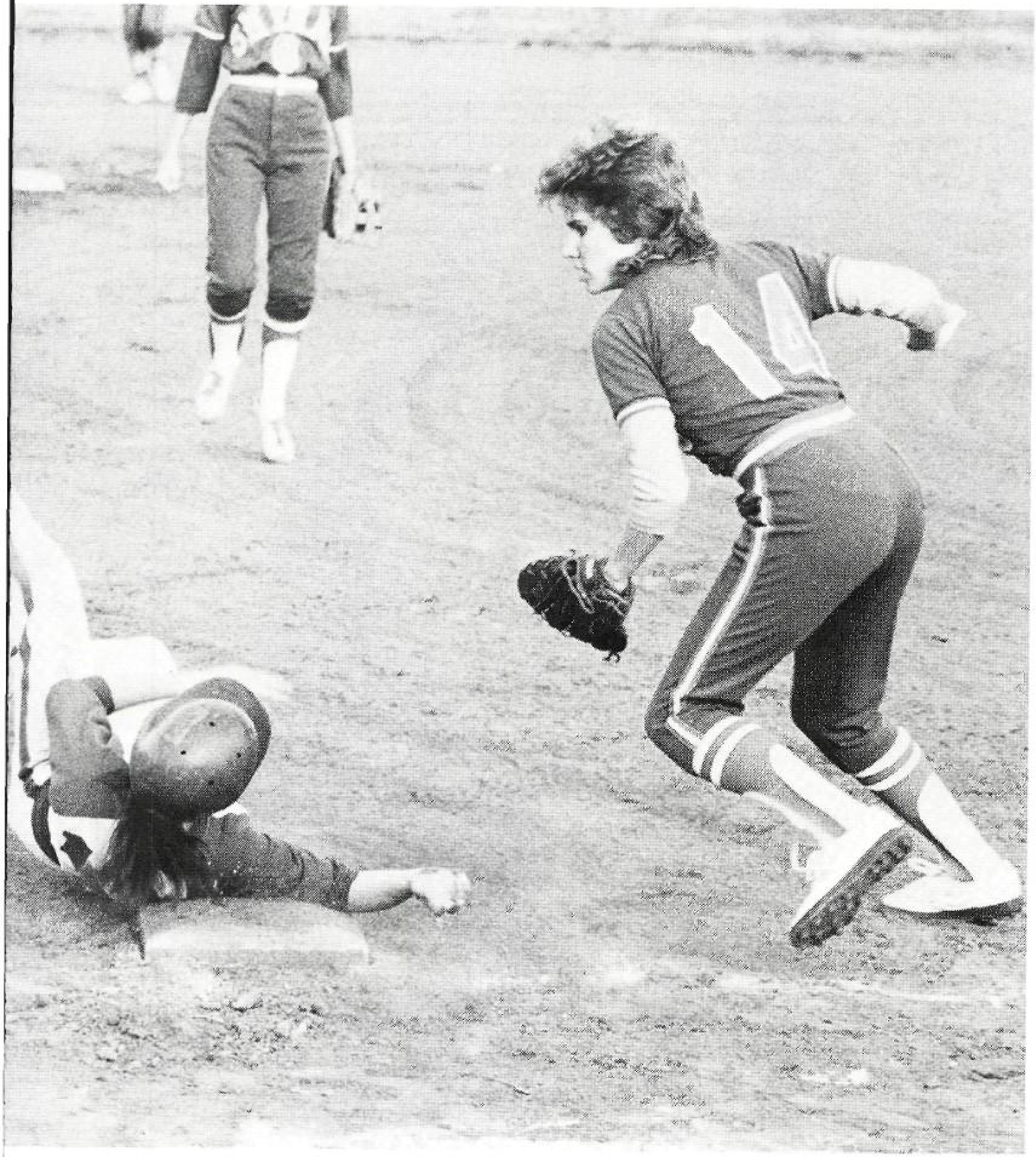
SOFTBALL SIZZLE

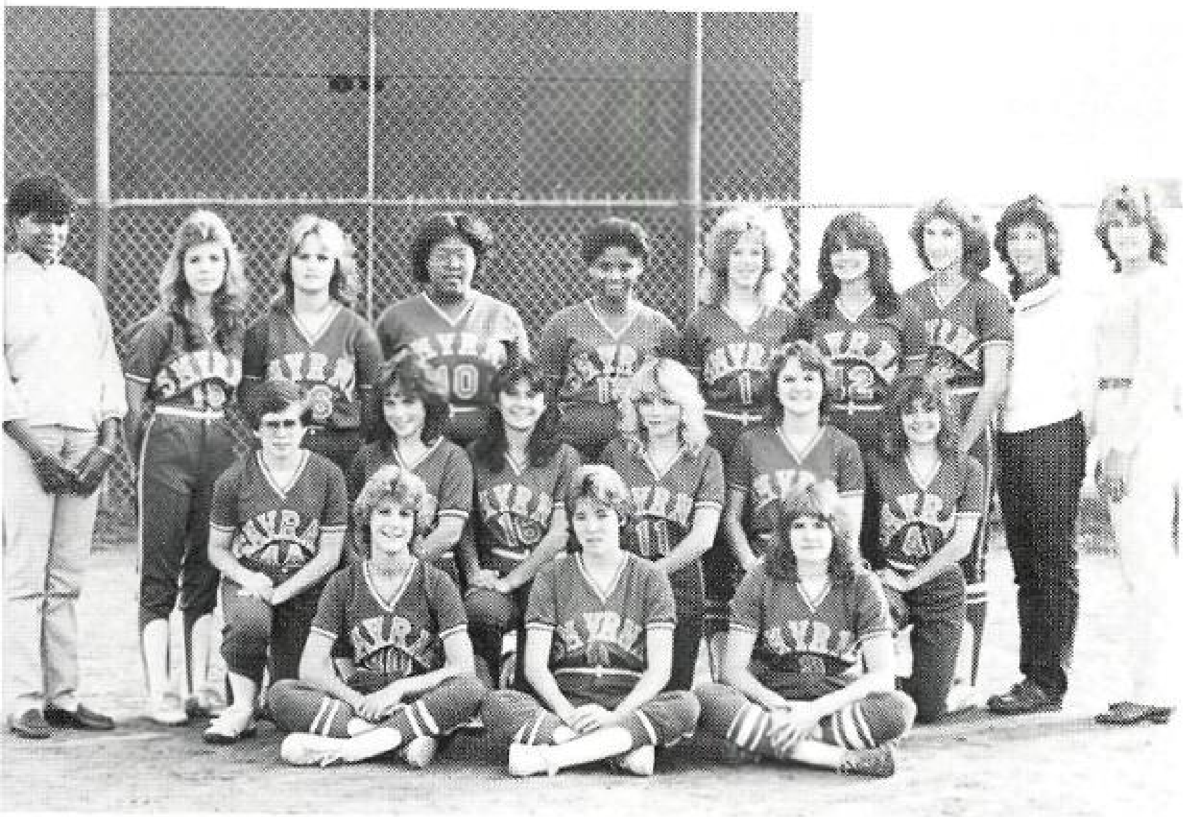


The members of the softball team feel that this season will be a success for them. Candy Whitley, a senior team member, discussed the team's unity: "I think we will be an over-all stable and tough team because we have a few people returning from last year along with some sophomores that have good potential." Junior team member Ida Tucker commented on this softball season: "We'll be young but tough. Our sophomores have great potential and a lot of spirit; that along with a strong bench should take us a long way."



Coach. *Carolyn Turner.*
A Sure Swing. *Tammy Estes, a new member of the team, tries to perfect her batting swing during a pre-game warm-up.*
Guarding the Plate. *A Riverdale player slides into trouble as Trish Bryant tags the runner out during a game with our inter-county rivals.*
Varsity. Kneeling: *Wendy Warner, Teresa Hancock, Kim Jamison, Tuesday Frase, Tammy Estes, Monica Scott, Ginger Horskins.*
Standing: *Shannon Hidalgo, Vicky Martin, Greta Hale, Paige Stem, Ida Tucker, LeAnn Harper, Candy Whitley, Nancy Buchanan.*





Eating the Dirt. *Softball has its anxious moments as demonstrated by Candy Whitley and Ida Tucker. Candy dives for the base as Ida Tucker hustles to guarantee an out against the Mt. Juliet player.*

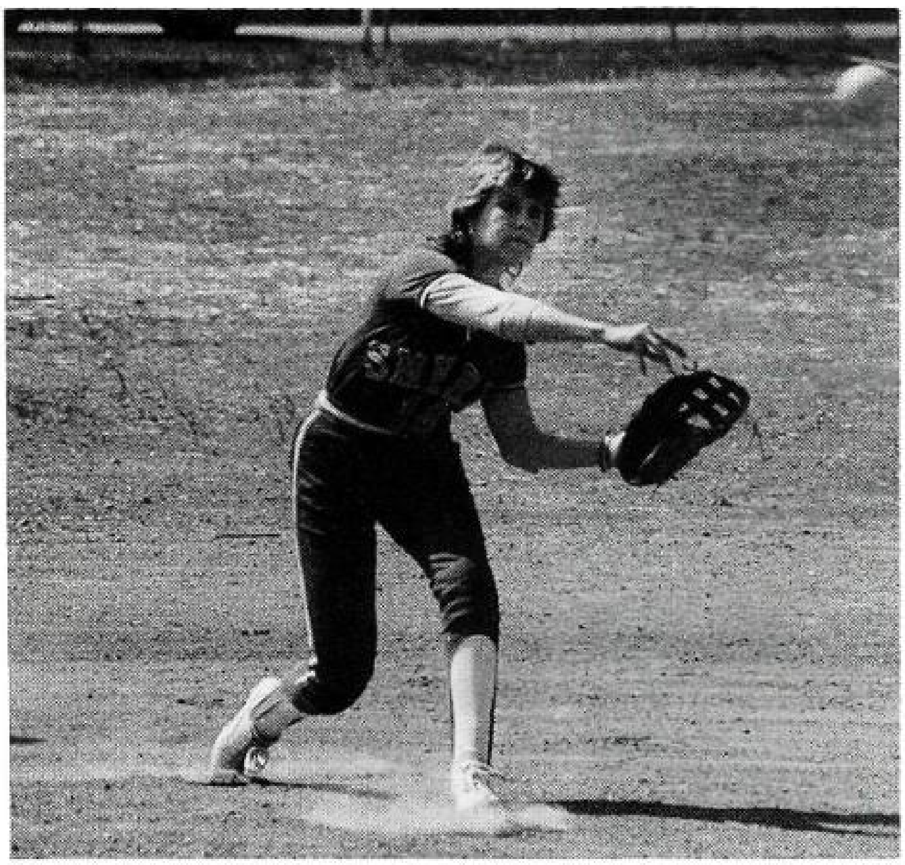
Junior Varsity. Sitting: *Karen Fields, Kathy Buchanan, Kim Jensen.* ***Kneeling:*** *Cassandra Skaggs, Mary Elizabeth Crosslin, Kristie Wilson, Rena Hallum, Debbie Raymer, Andrea Parker.* ***Standing:*** *Thomosa Wilkerson, Tammy Taylor, Connie Davis, Marquinta Richardson, Becky Turner, Tonya Smith, Tammy Vaughn, Jana Galyon, Rhonda Hartman, Wendy Basham.*

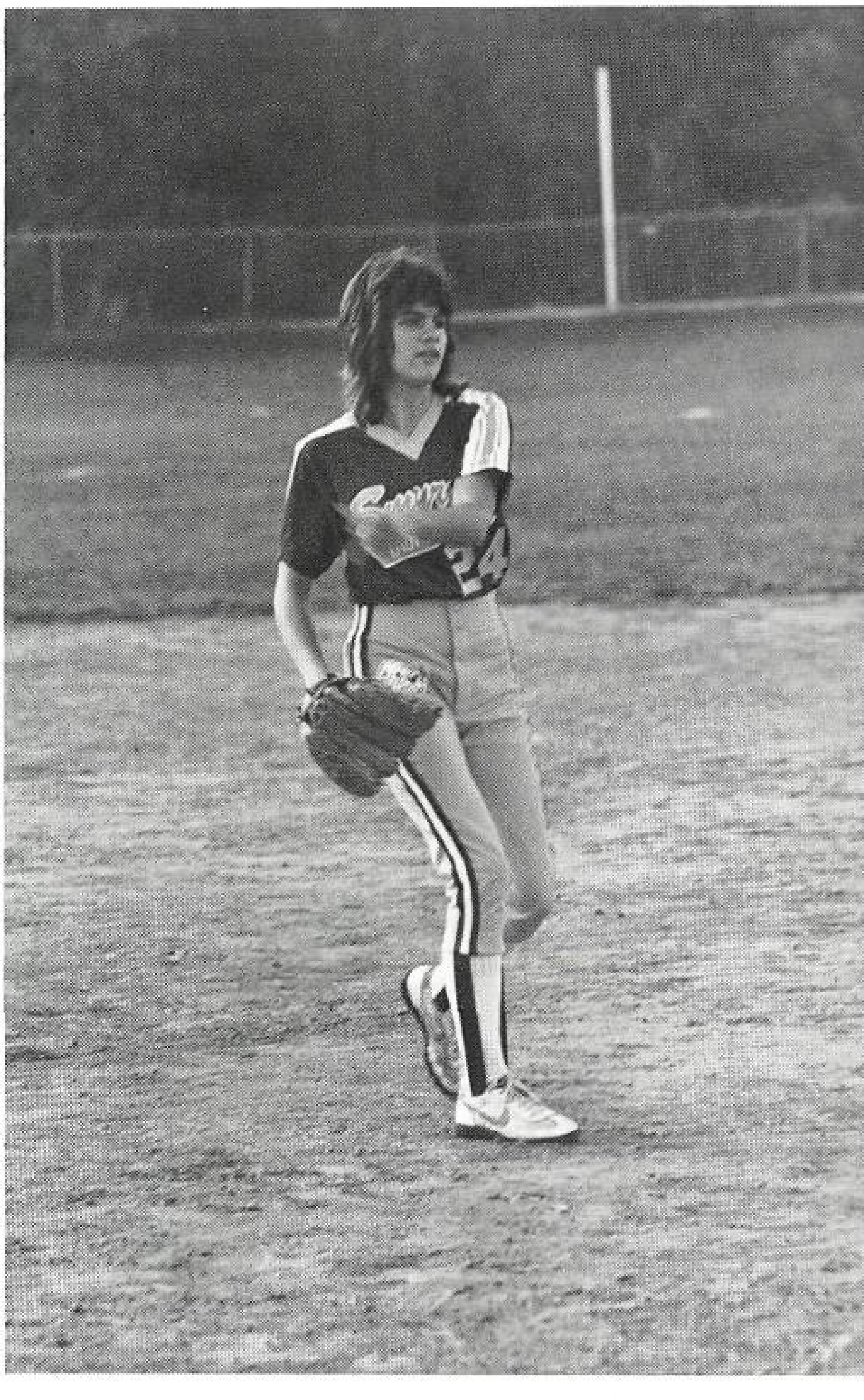
STRIVING FOR THE TOP

On October 20 practice began for the softball team with forty-five girls present. Each girl has shown good possibilities for a better team than last year. The girls will be running to get in shape, working on drills for speed and for their throwing, fielding, and batting. There will be approximately five scrimmages before the season begins.

Pitchers that have shown good possibilities and improvement include Nancy Buchanan, Monica Scott, Wendy Warren, and Candy Whitley. The big hitters from last year are Candy Whitley and Nancy Buchanan while new hard hitting players are sophomores Wendy Warren and Tammy Estes and junior Ida Tucker. There are six starters from last year's district runner-up team returning to the team. The goal of the team is to improve last year's position of district runner-up.

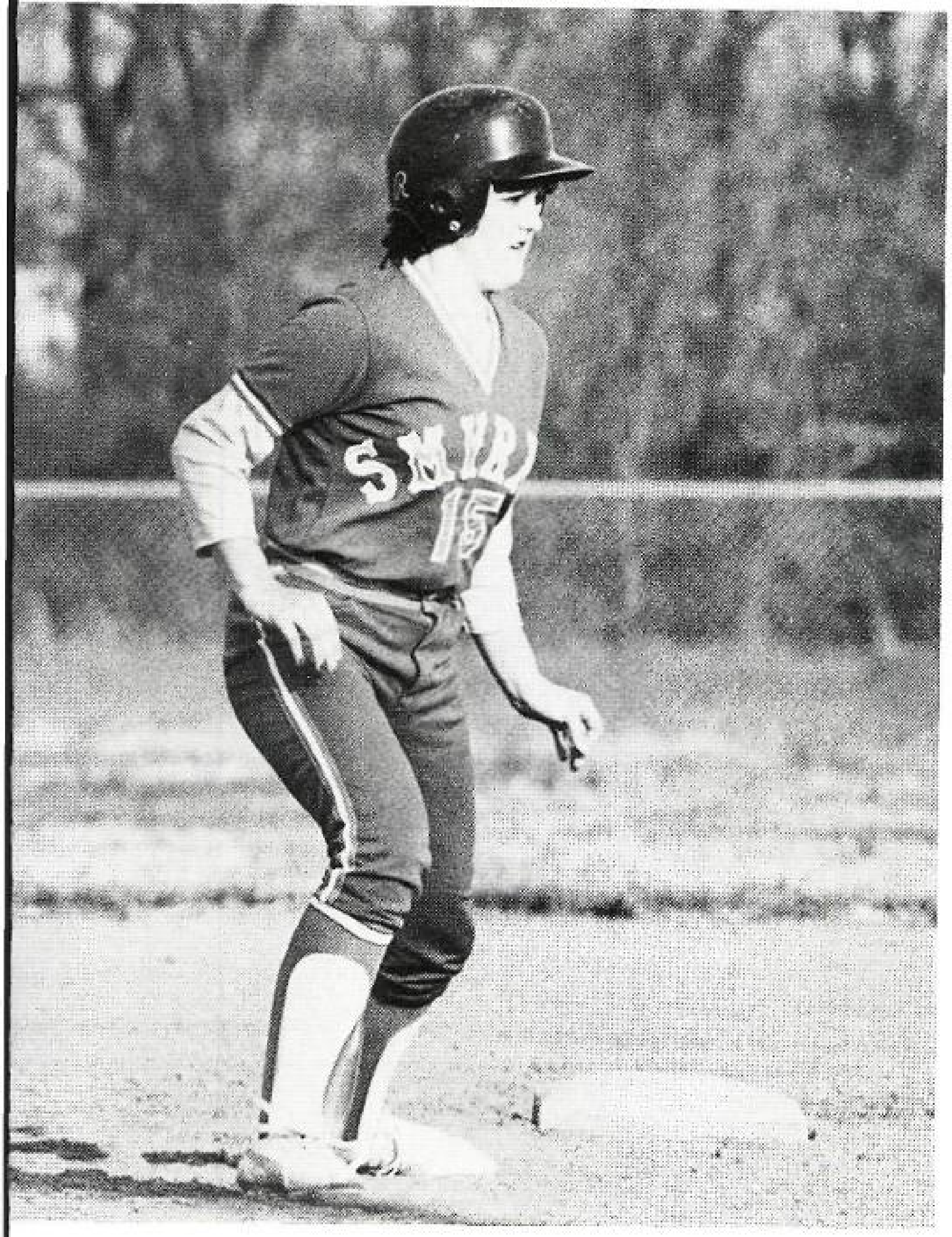
Nobody's Perfect. *Making mistakes in life as well as in softball is all a part of learning. Here, Candy Whitley listens to the expert advice of Coach Turner in hopes of correcting her error next time. Photo by Jim Davis*





An Out on First. *Ida Tucker, shortstop, catches a streaking line drive and throws it to first base for a double play. Photo by Jim Davis*

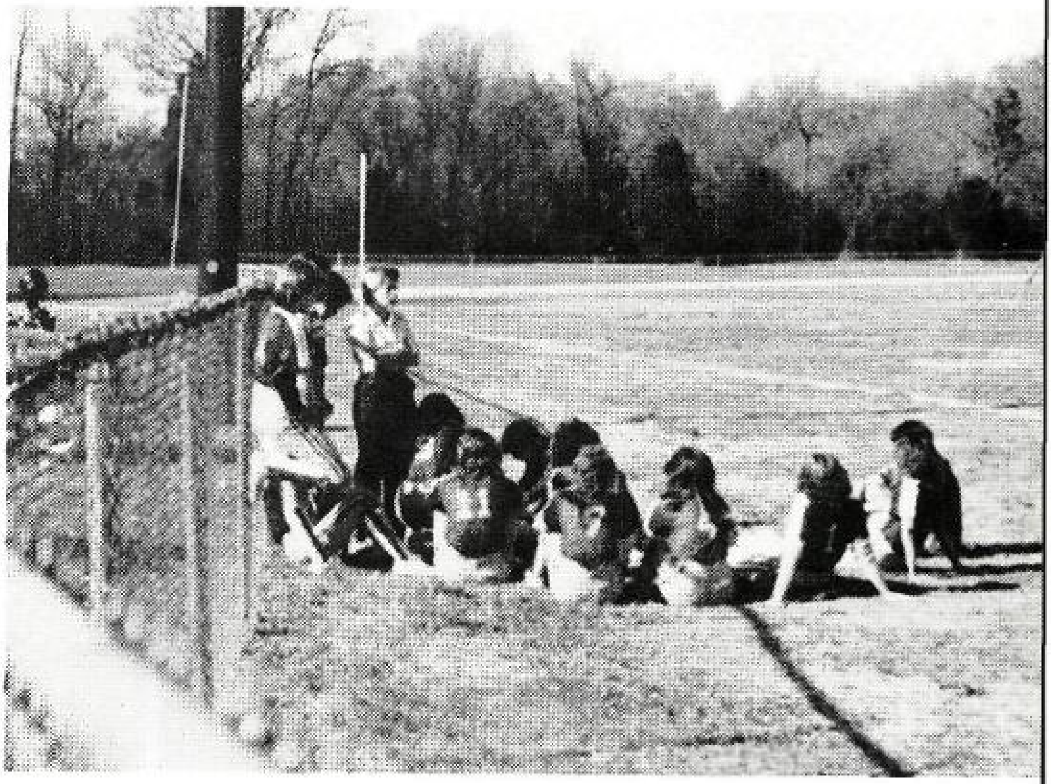
Preparing for the Game. *Nancy Buchanan pitches the ball to a teammate as she awaits the start of the game.*



Split Second Decision. *Frequently in softball vital decisions that could decide the outcome of the game are made within seconds. With her eye on the ball. Trish Bryant decides whether to stay on second or go on to third base. — Photo by Jim Davis.*

Bulldog Strategy. *A pep talk from the coach can be a key factor in the performance of the team. Here Miss Turner tries to inform the team of the plans for the upcoming game as well as to boost their morale.*

Almost But Not Quite. *A Riverdale runner, having rounded third and then having realized that she could not make it home, is almost tagged out by a hustling left fielder Paige Stem. Nancy Buchanan watches the action in case she needs to come to Paige's assistance. — Photo by Jim Davis.*



BULLDOG TENNIS

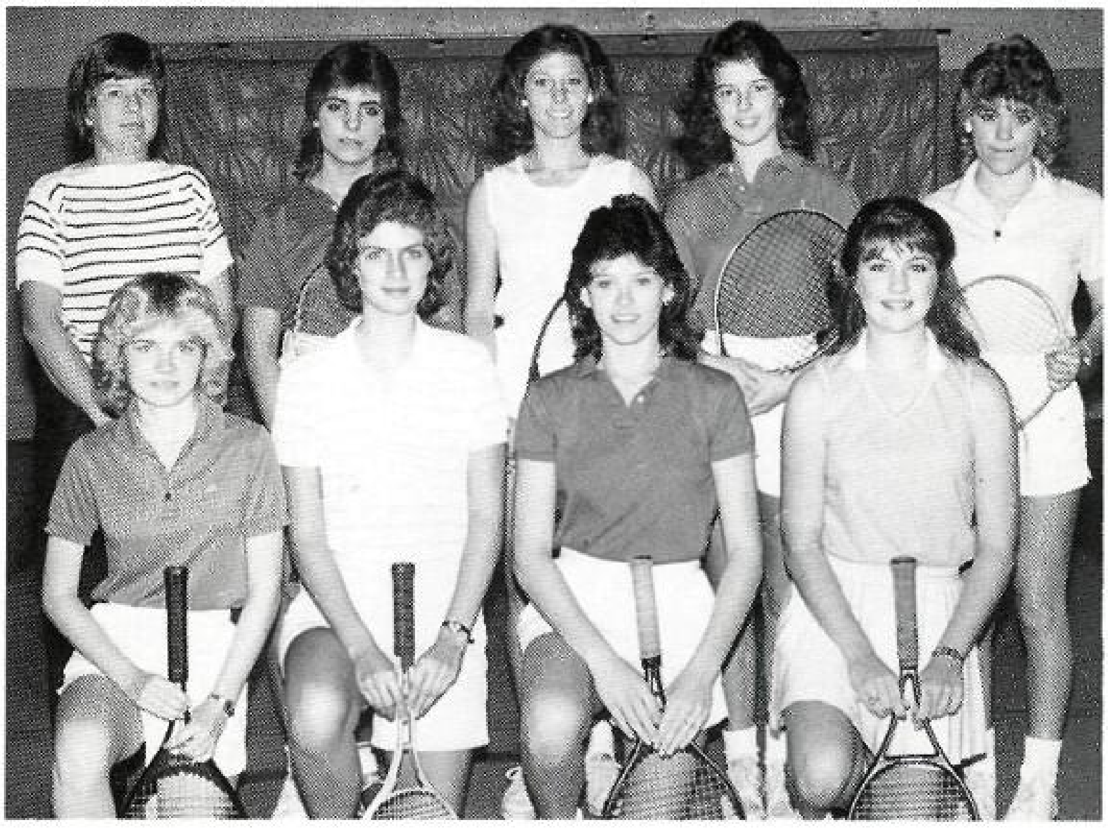
Acing the Competition

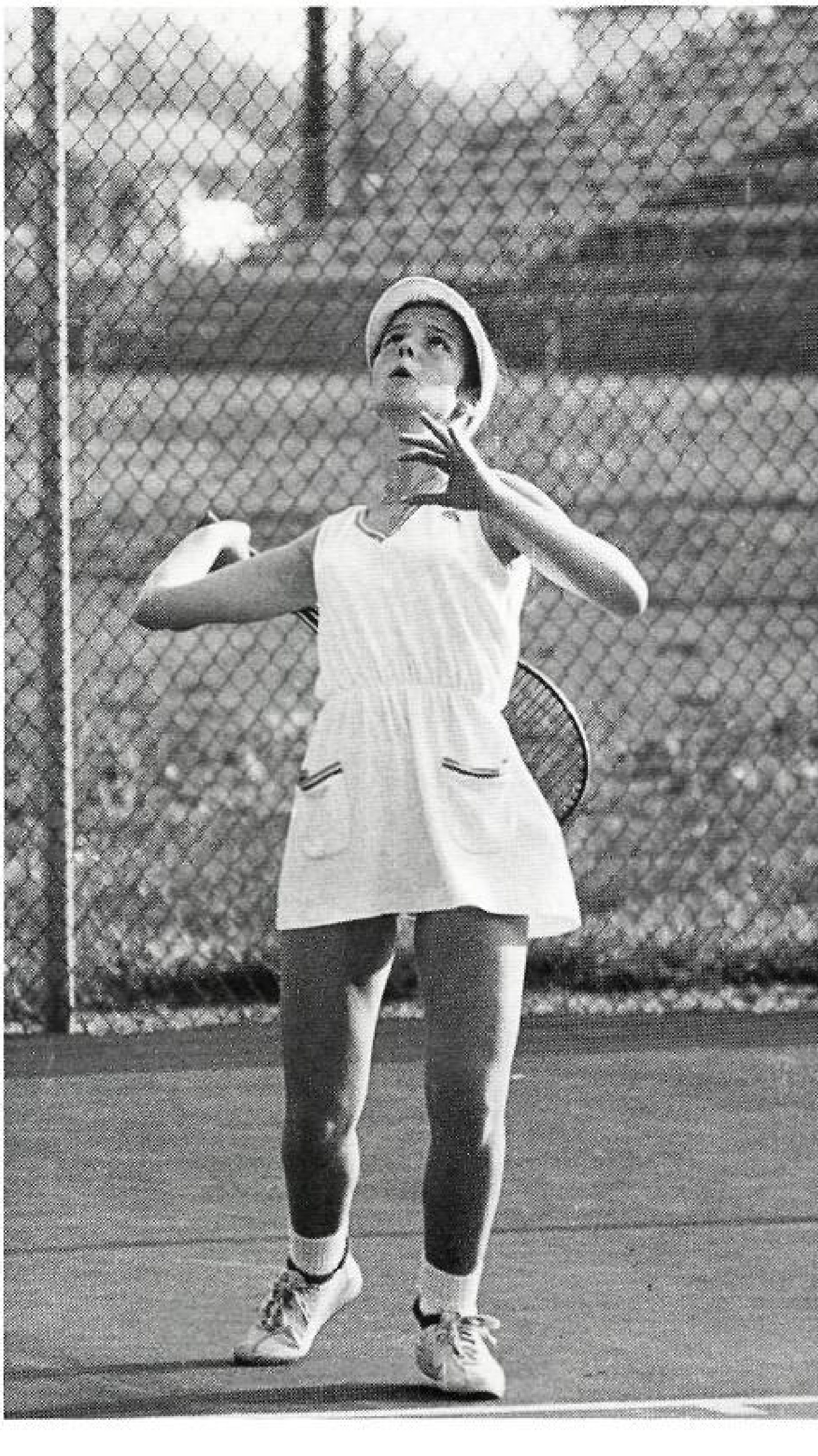
The girls' tennis team, having finished second in the district last year, is continuing to rebuild and develop their skills. Kathy Ralston, the team's number one player, is one of the best players in the district and is ranked sixth in Nashville and sixteenth in the state. Close behind her in skills and strength is team member and senior Sandi Johns.

These two girls will be ably assisted by several new faces in the starting line up — Lisa Spann, Kathleen McCoin, Jama Whitehead, and Katie Bannister.

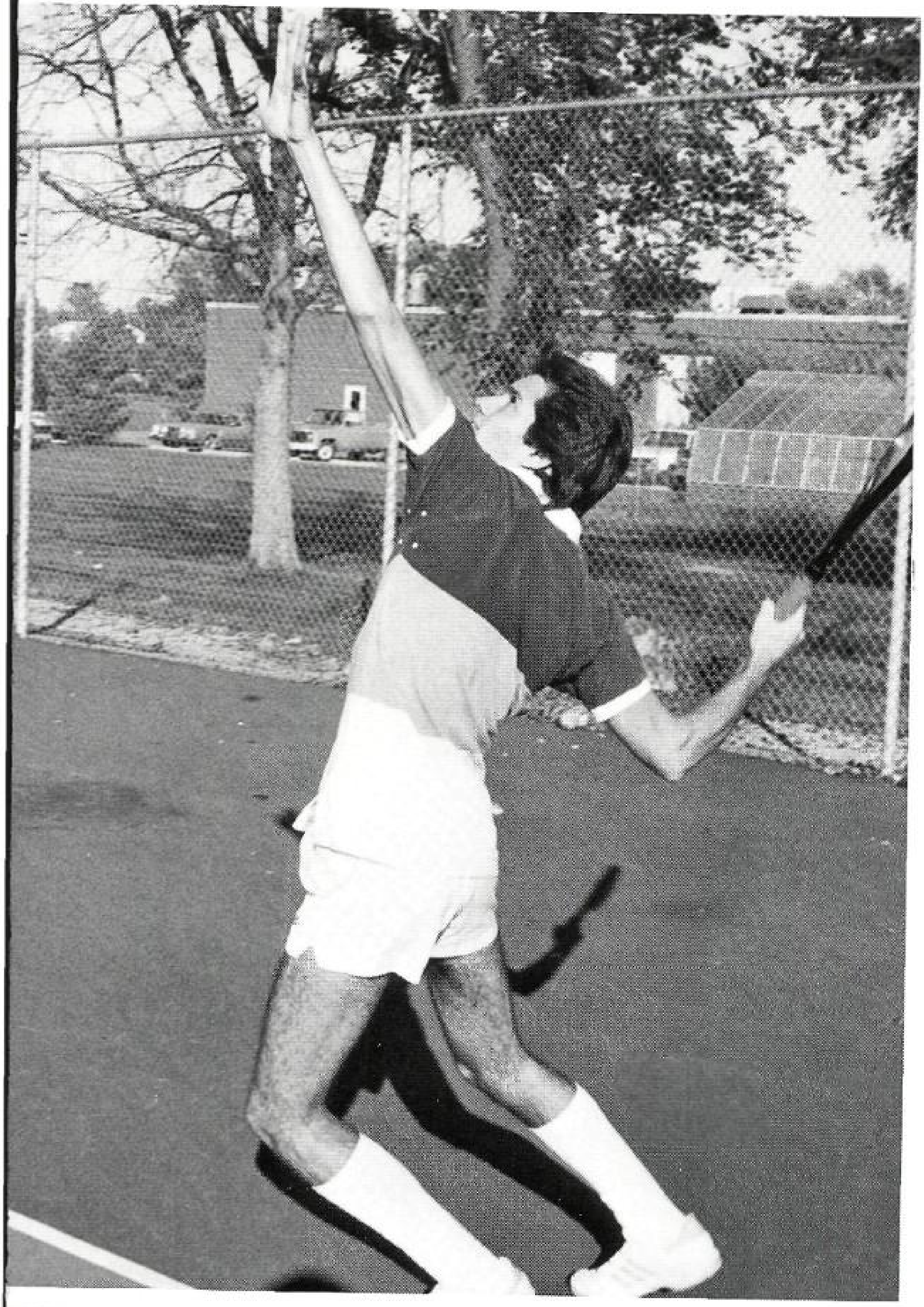
Their coach, Miss LeDoux, states that she enjoys working with these girls. She believes that they will represent Smyrna well and will have a very rewarding season.

That Powerful Serve. *Kathy Ralston puts all she's got into the serve that aces a member of the opposing team for the Bulldog victory.*





Tennis Team Members. Kneeling: *Jennifer Officer, Kim Paul, Kathleen McCoin, Kathy Ralston.*
Standing: *Coach Jeanne LeDoux, Kerrie McKinney, Lisa Spann, Sandi Johns, Jama Whitehead.*
Waiting for the Slam. *Sandi Johns prepares to slam a lob back across the net to baffle her opponent in a match against Webb. — Photo by Jim Davis*
Coach. *Jeanne LeDoux.*

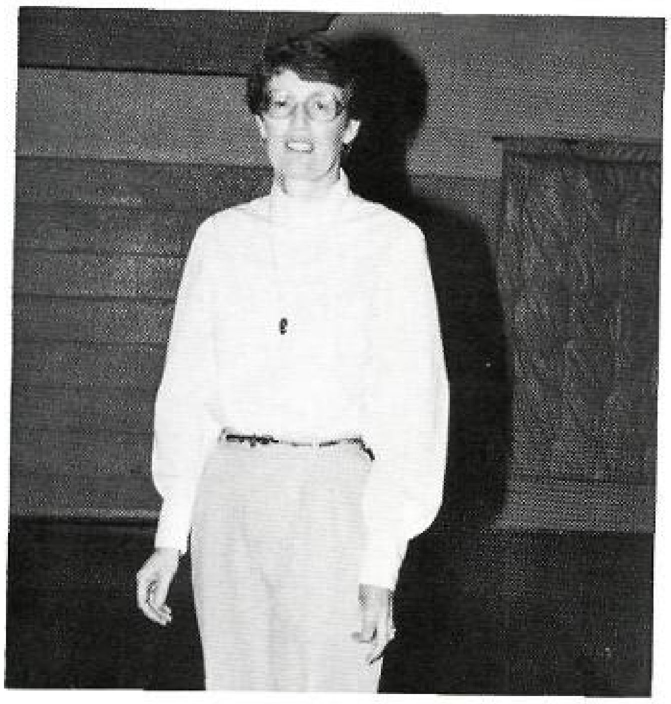


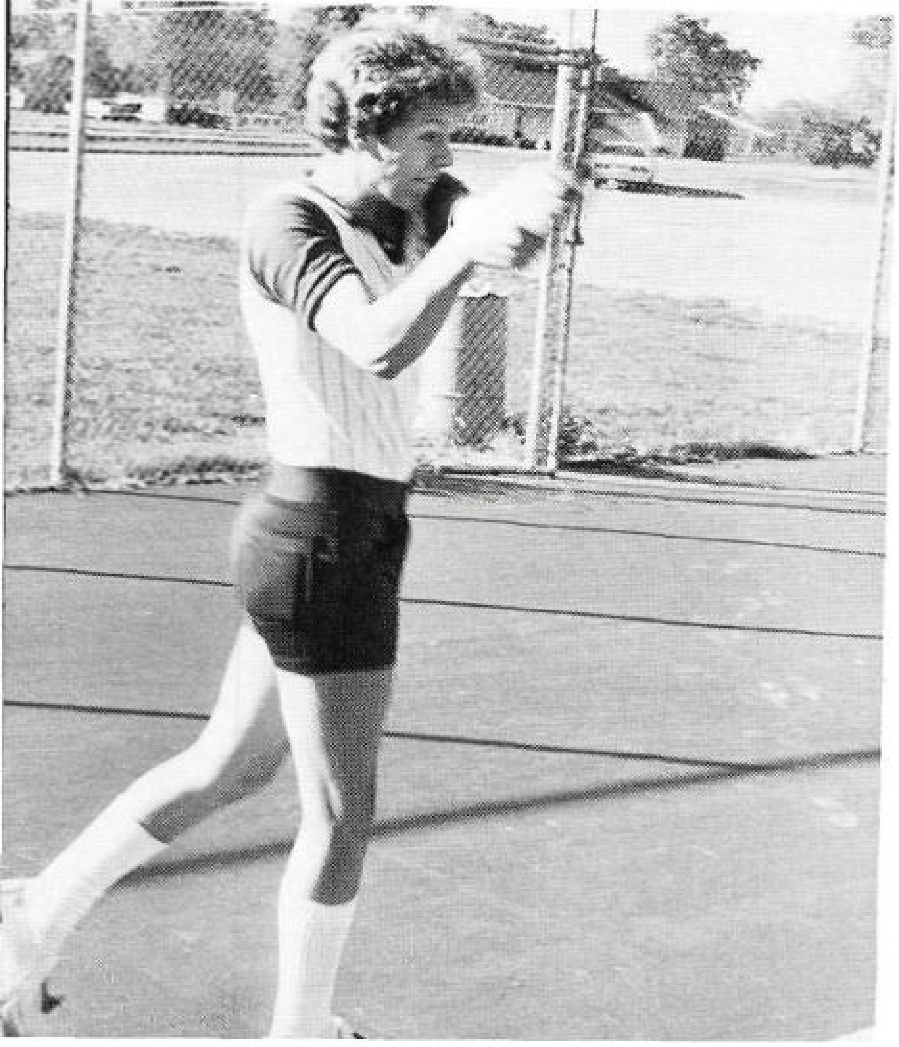
Strokes for Success

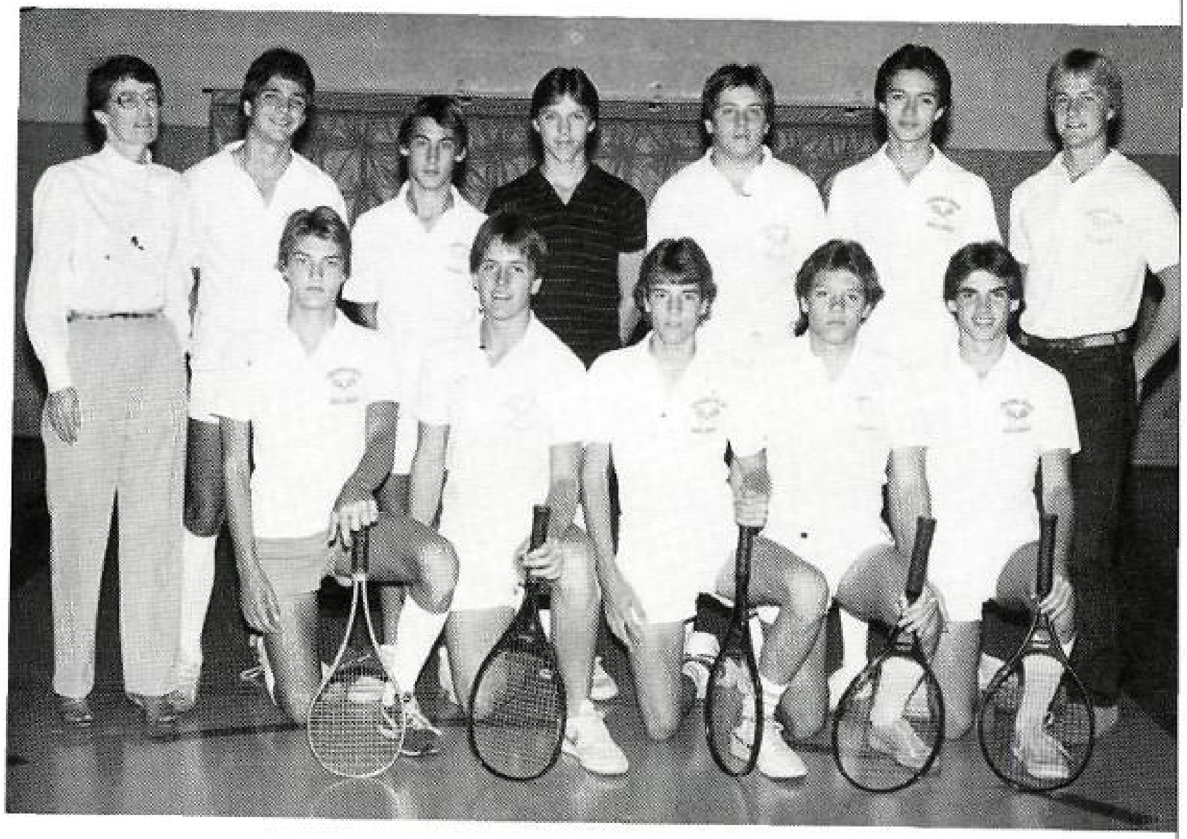
Tennis is a spring sport; therefore, the **Gold Dust** *staff can only make projections about the 1984 season, based upon information given to them during the fall.*

The boys' tennis team is composed of three seniors, five juniors, and three sophomores. Presently there are four boys trying for the team's number one position; however, all of the first six positions should be exceptionally strong this year. Their skills have been further developed by private tennis lessons and continued playing during the summer months. Under the direction of their coach Mrs. Clemens, the boys anticipate a good season.

A Key Serve. *Serving is one of the most important aspects of the game. Jeff Key is shown here as he warms up prior to an important match.*
Kidd's Backhand. *The backhand is a difficult stroke that requires skill and coordination. Glenn Kidd demonstrates the strength of his backhand as he returns his opponent's shot.*
Coach. *Judy Clemens*

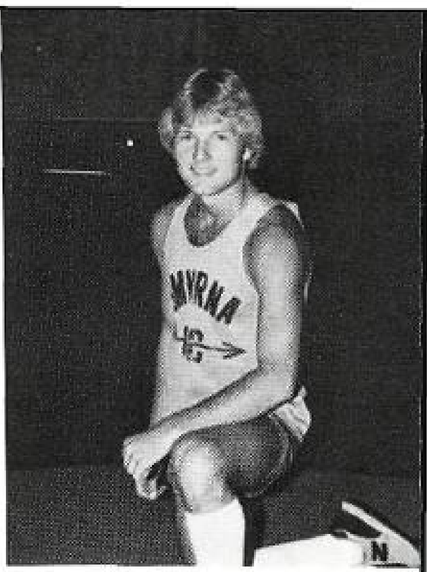




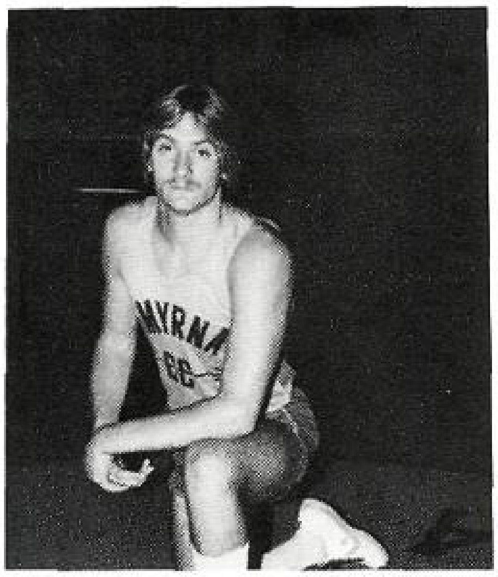


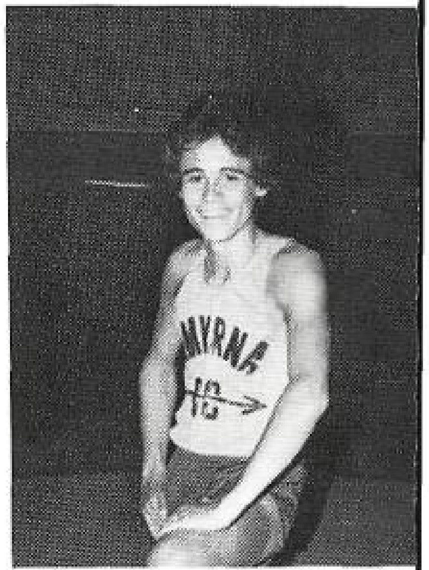
Smyrna High Boys' Tennis Team. Standing: *Mrs. Clemens, Doug Loux, Paul Forsythe, Ricky Allen, Mark Jones, Jeff Key, Hunter Nash.*
Kneeling: *Danny Watson, Jim LeeMaster, Parrish Brown, Glenn Kidd, Billy Norton.*

Tammy Brackney
Reece Anderson
Richie Bicknell
Roger Brady

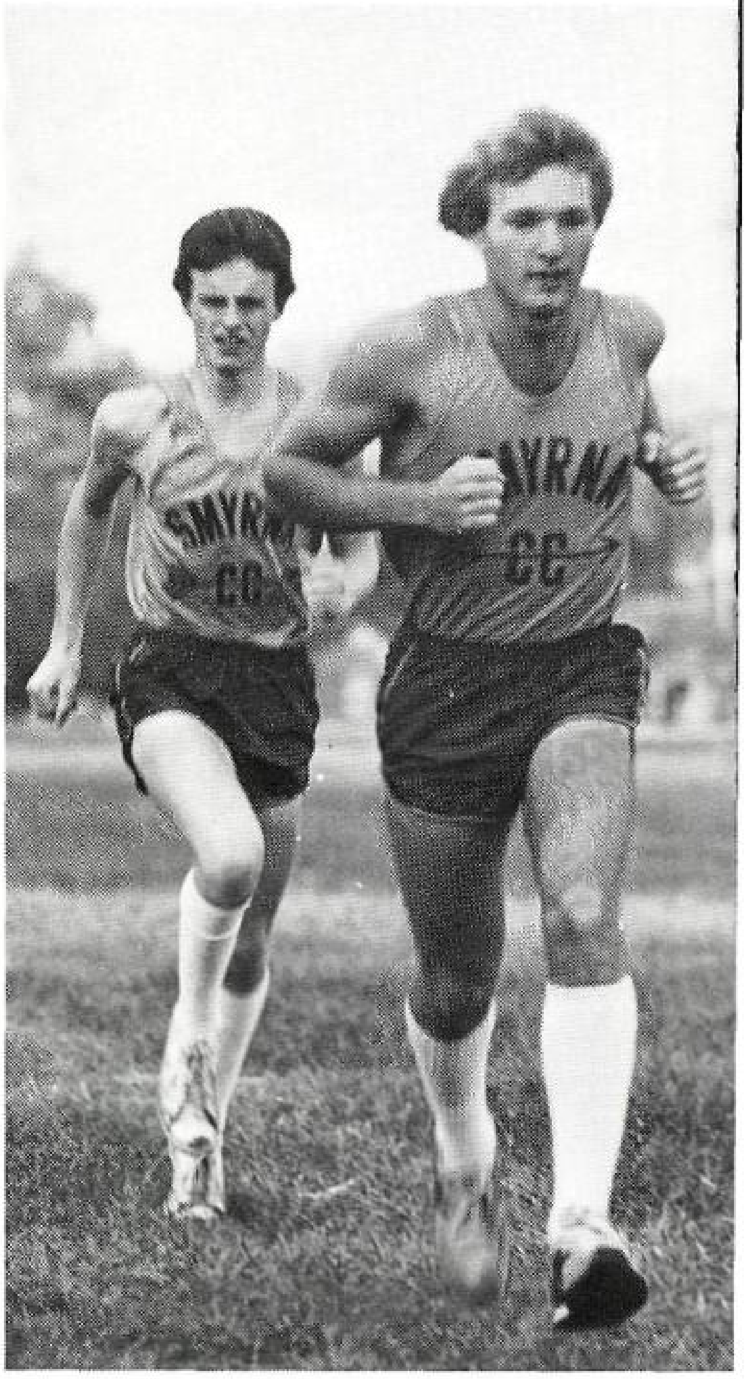


Oley Martin
Thane Myers
Shane Blythe
Mack Short

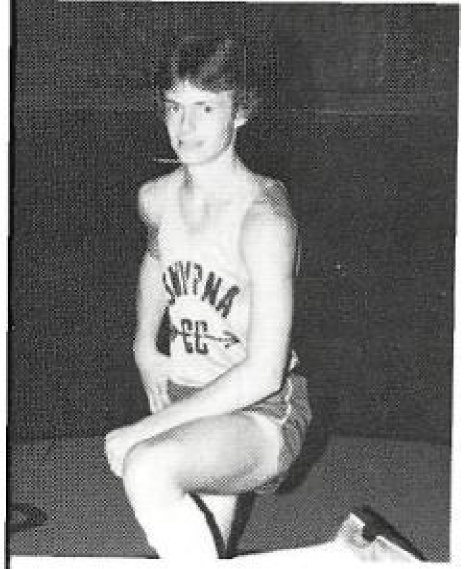


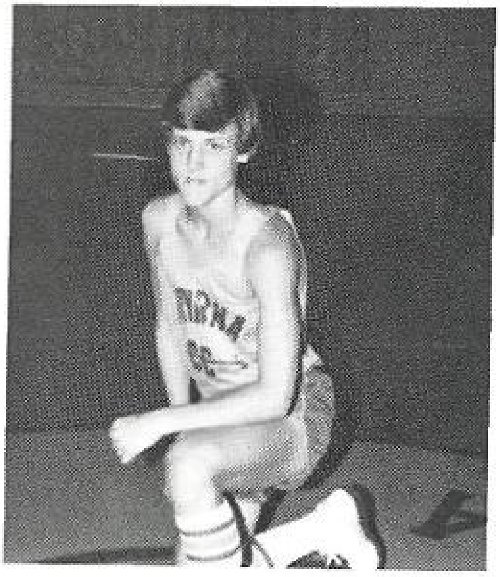


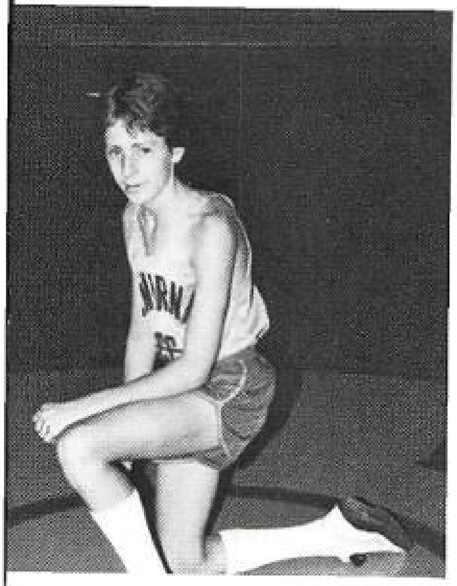
Practice Results in Victory. *Smyrna High cross country runners know that victory is obtained only through hours of running and completing conditioning exercises. Therefore, the team members spend every afternoon after school running long distances and exercising. Pictured are the S.H.S. runners as they begin their afternoon practice.*

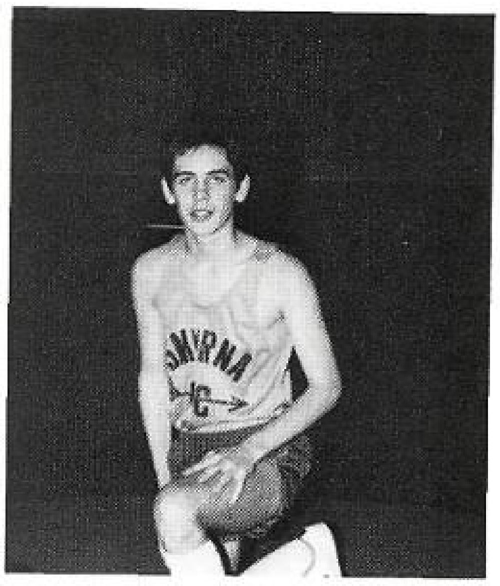


The Finish Line in Sight. *A runner gets that extra spurt of energy as he approaches the finish line. The spirit and determination for winning are shown in Reece Anderson's and Richie Bicknell's faces as they near the end of the race.*







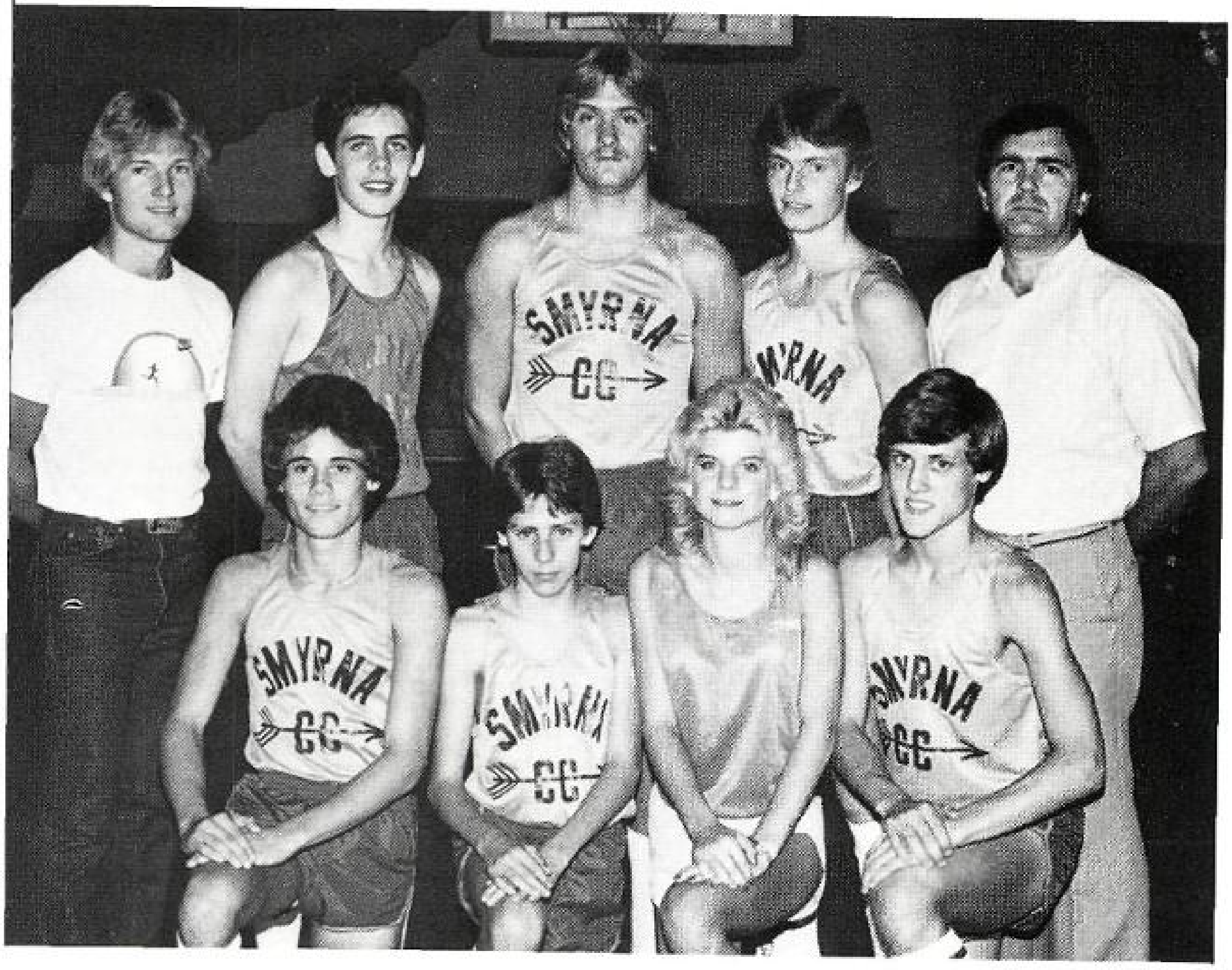


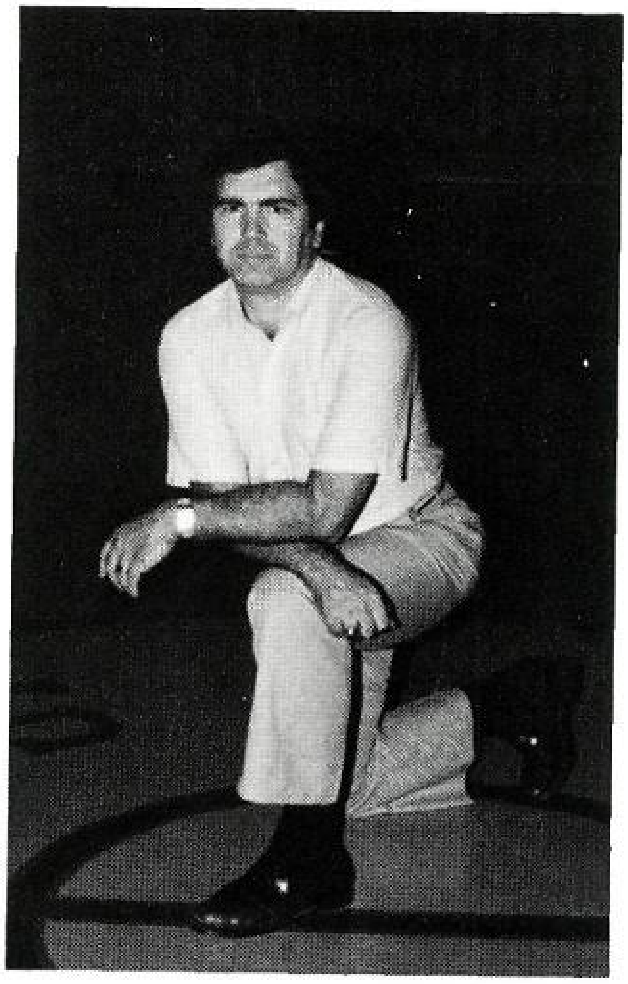
S.H.S. CROSS COUNTRY

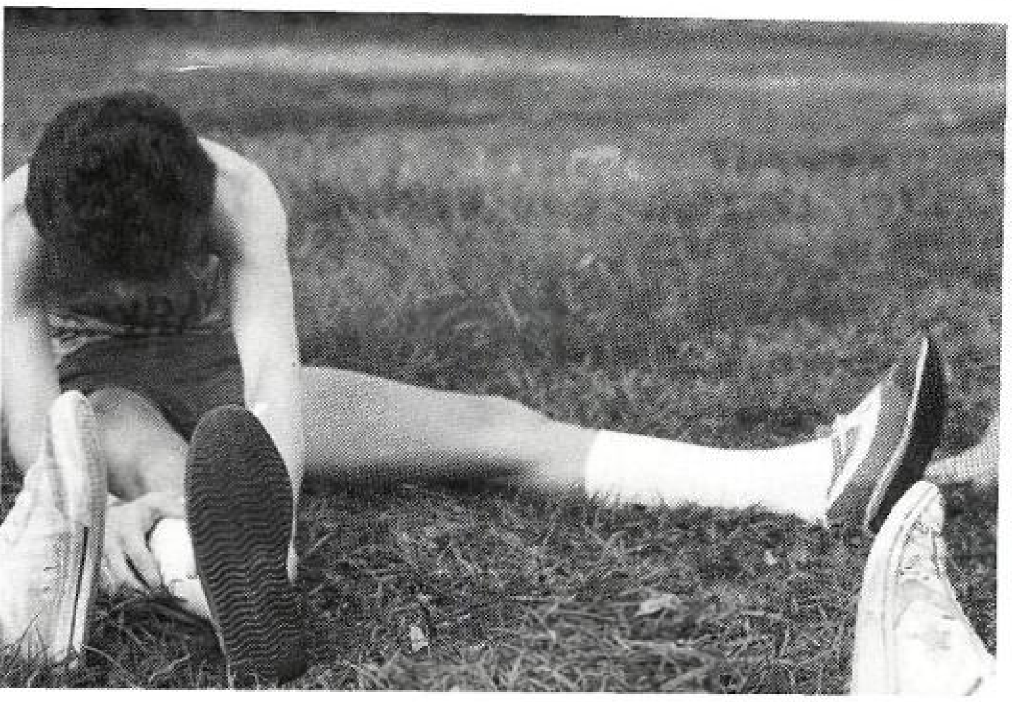
A Team on the Move

*Running has become a favorite form of exercise for many Americans. Smyrna High students are no exception. The Smyrna High cross-country team demonstrates how hard work and practice and **running** really pay off. Being a member of the team involves many hours of running and exercising after school and on the week-end.*

The Smyrna High team gets stronger each year with more S.H.S. students placing in the meets. At the Columbia Academy track meet, both Richard Southerland and Shane Blythe placed second. Tammy Brackney placed in the top ten at the Gallatin Invitational and won a second place ribbon.





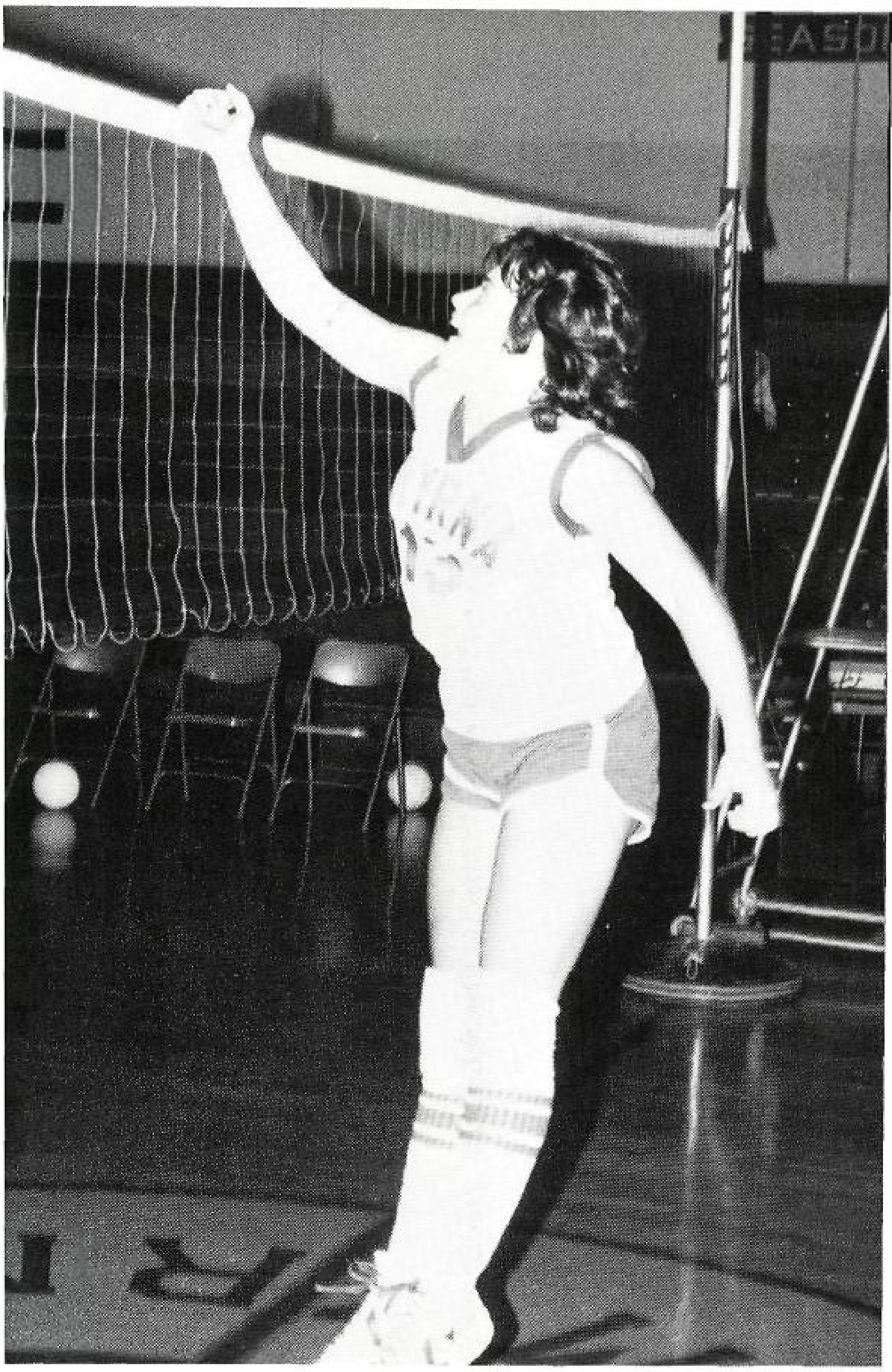


***S.H.S. Cross Country Team. Standing:** Reece Anderson, Mack Short, Oley Martin, Richie Bicknell, Coach Larry Bucy.*
***Kneeling:** Thane Myers, Shane Blythe, Tammy Brackney, Roger Brady.*
***Coach.** Larry Bucy.*
***Stretching for Success.** Prior to every meet the runners must exercise in order to prepare their bodies for the strenuous run. One of these exercises is the simple stretch. Thane Myers demonstrates the way each team member prepares for the meet.*

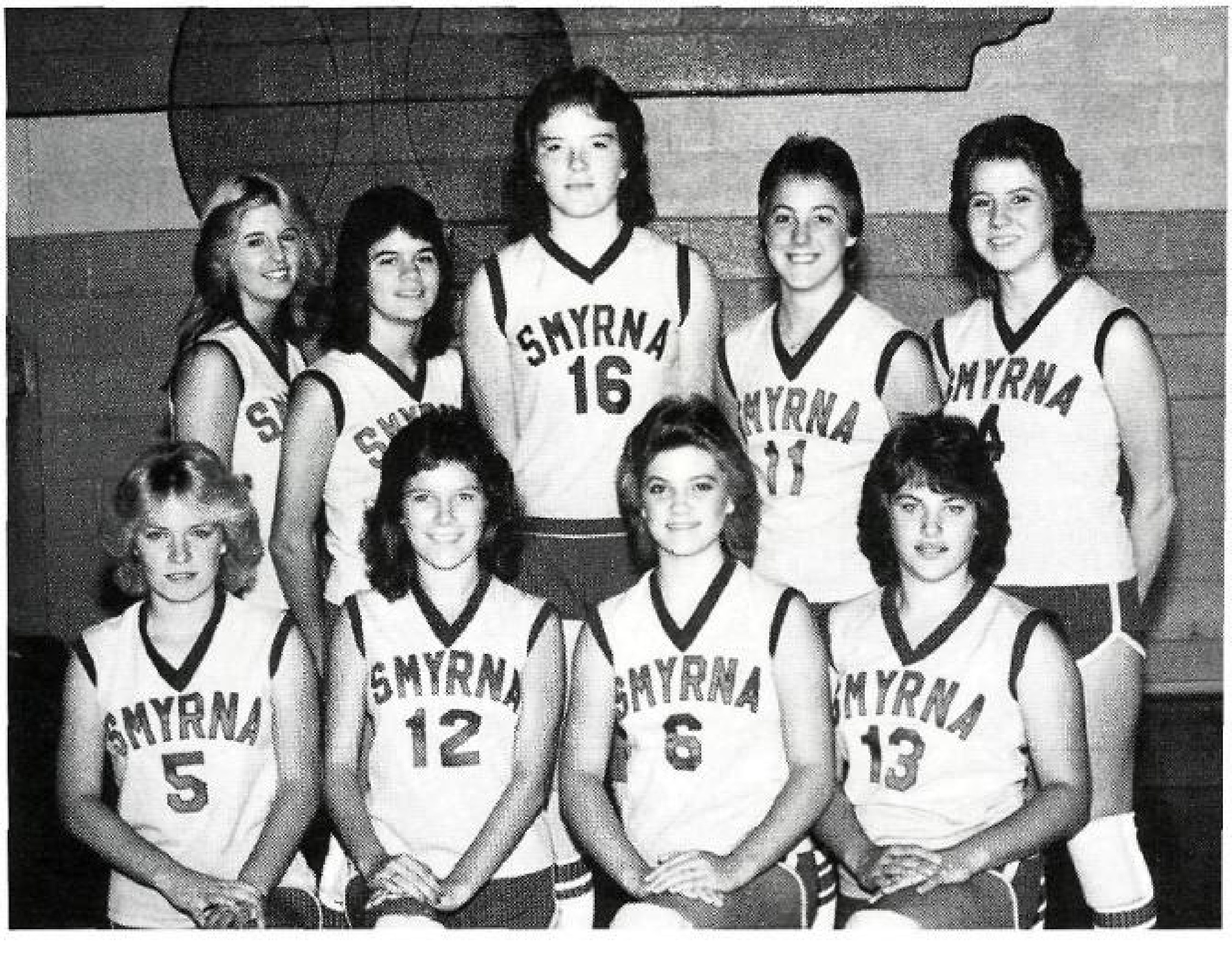
BULLDOGS SET UP FOR VICTORY

The Smyrna High School 1983-84 volleyball team is coached by Miss Carolyn Turner. There are two returning starters on the team, Ida Tucker and Greta Hale. "They have shown a tremendous amount of leadership and enthusiasm," said Coach Turner. The only senior member of the team is Candy Whitley, who was voted captain in her first year of play. The other three starters are junior first year player Lisa Wilson, sophomore Tammy Estes, and sophomore Monica Scott. Remaining team members are Nancy Buchanan, Robbie Carter, and Linda Griffin. LeAnne Harper is the manager. Miss Turner commented that "each of the girls has had to work hard and be very dedicated to start such a young team off with a very impressive 8-2 season."

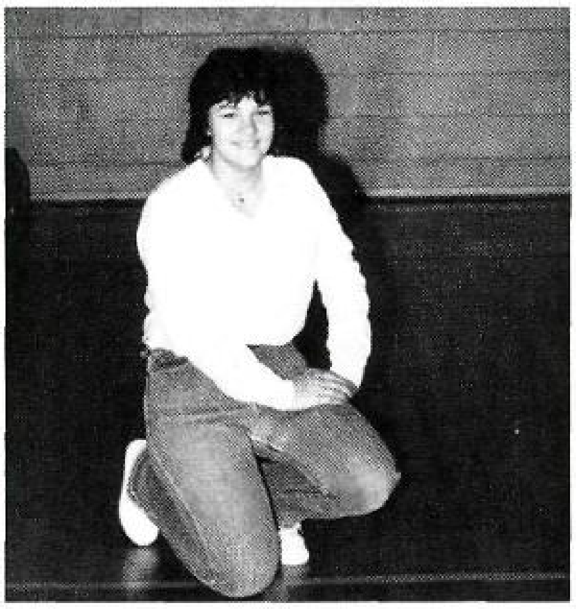
This year the girls started the season with a disadvantage because of a coaching change. Their practice began approximately two weeks before their first game as compared to four weeks as the other teams in our district. However, this disadvantage did not prove to be a hindrance for long. Miss Turner said "the girls demonstrated a lot of hustle and dedication in trying to make up those lost days of practice." The girls went on to become the 1983 District VIII Champions, defeating all major opponents.



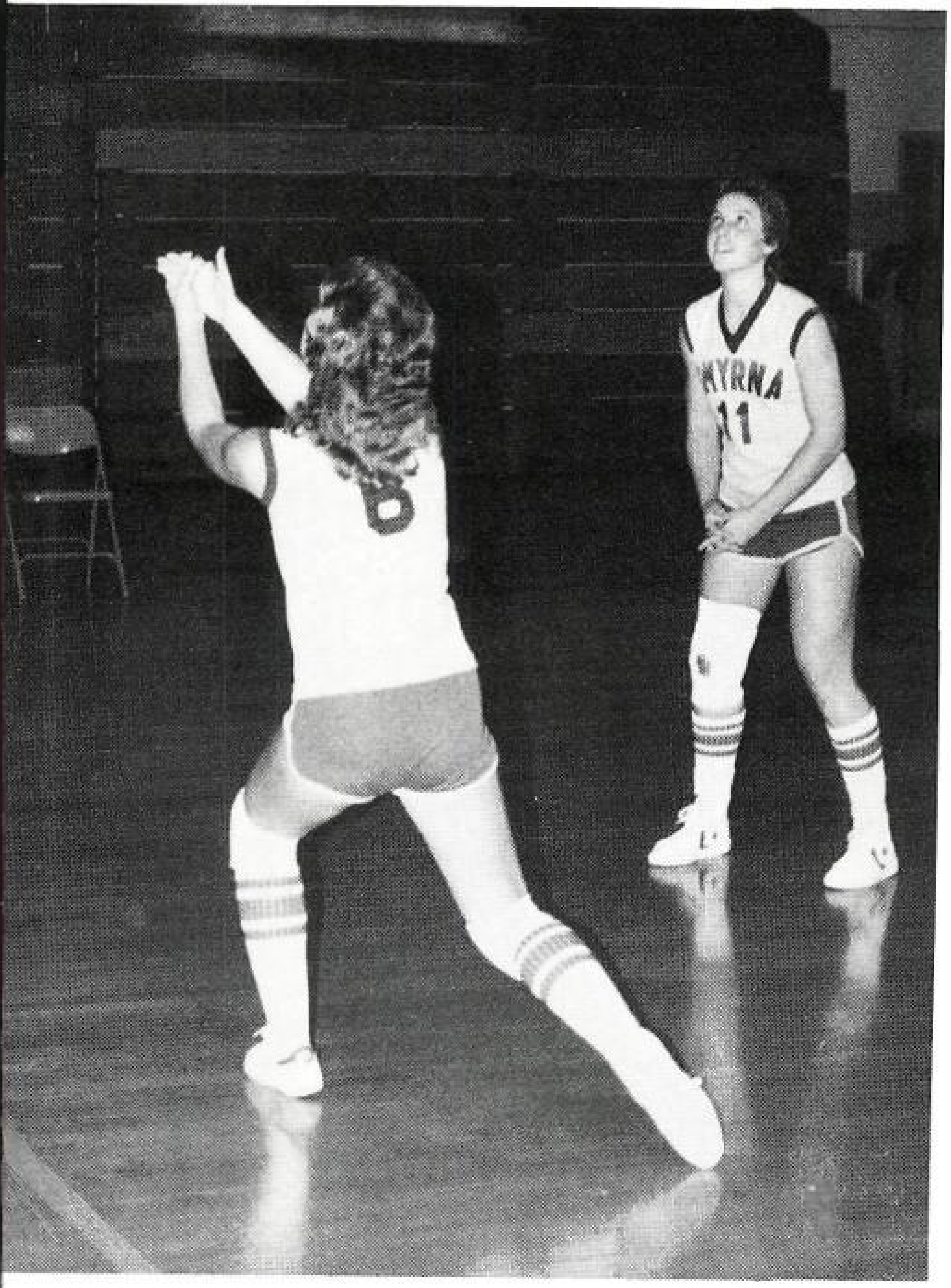
Great Greta. *Greta Hale can attest to the fact that often the opponent's shots require unusual agility.*



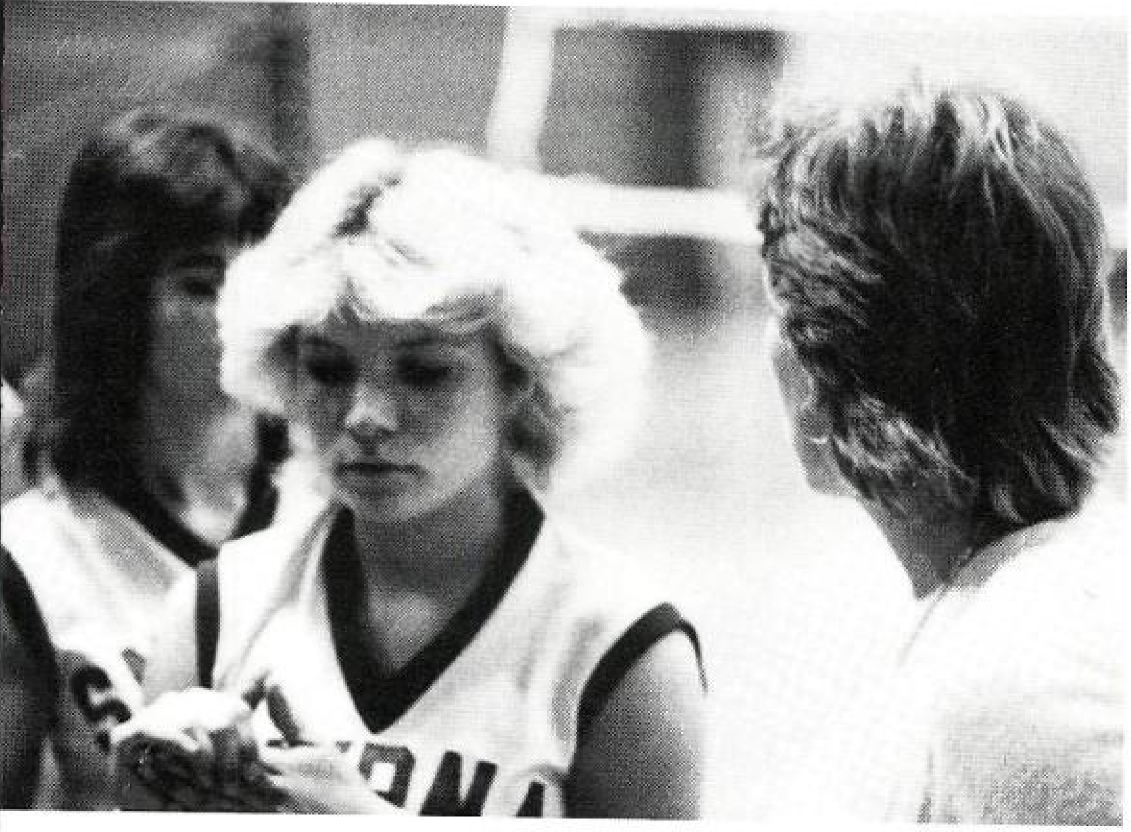
District VIII Volleyball Champions. *Tammy Estes, Robbie Carter, Monica Scott, Greta Hale, Linda Griffin, Nancy Buchanan, Lisa Wilson, Candy Whitley, Ida Tucker.*



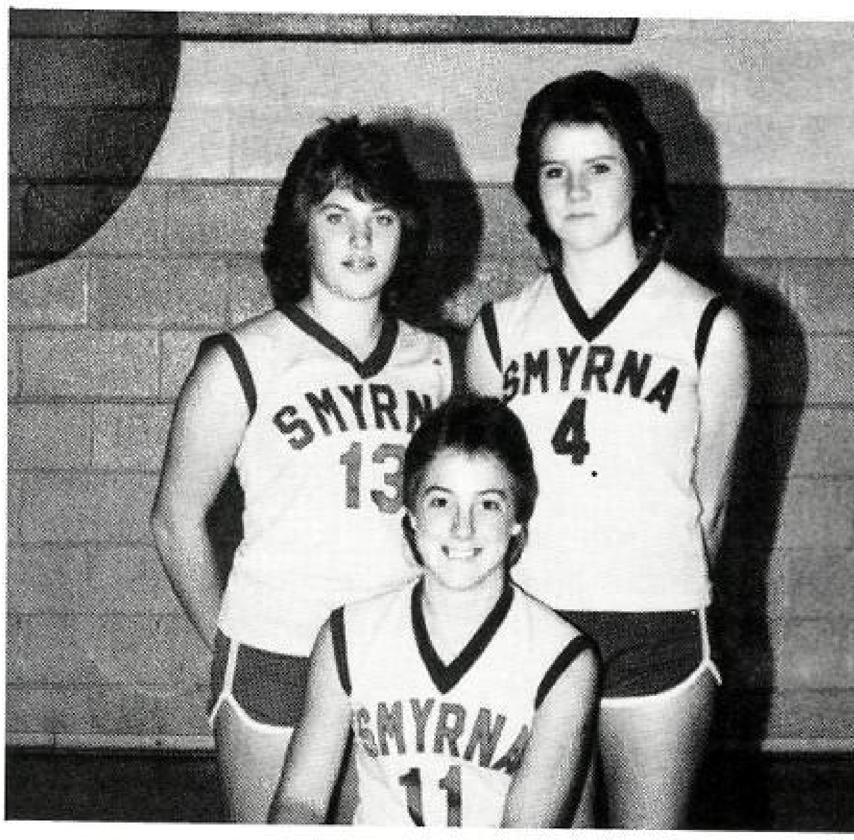
Volleyball manager. *LeAnn Harper.*



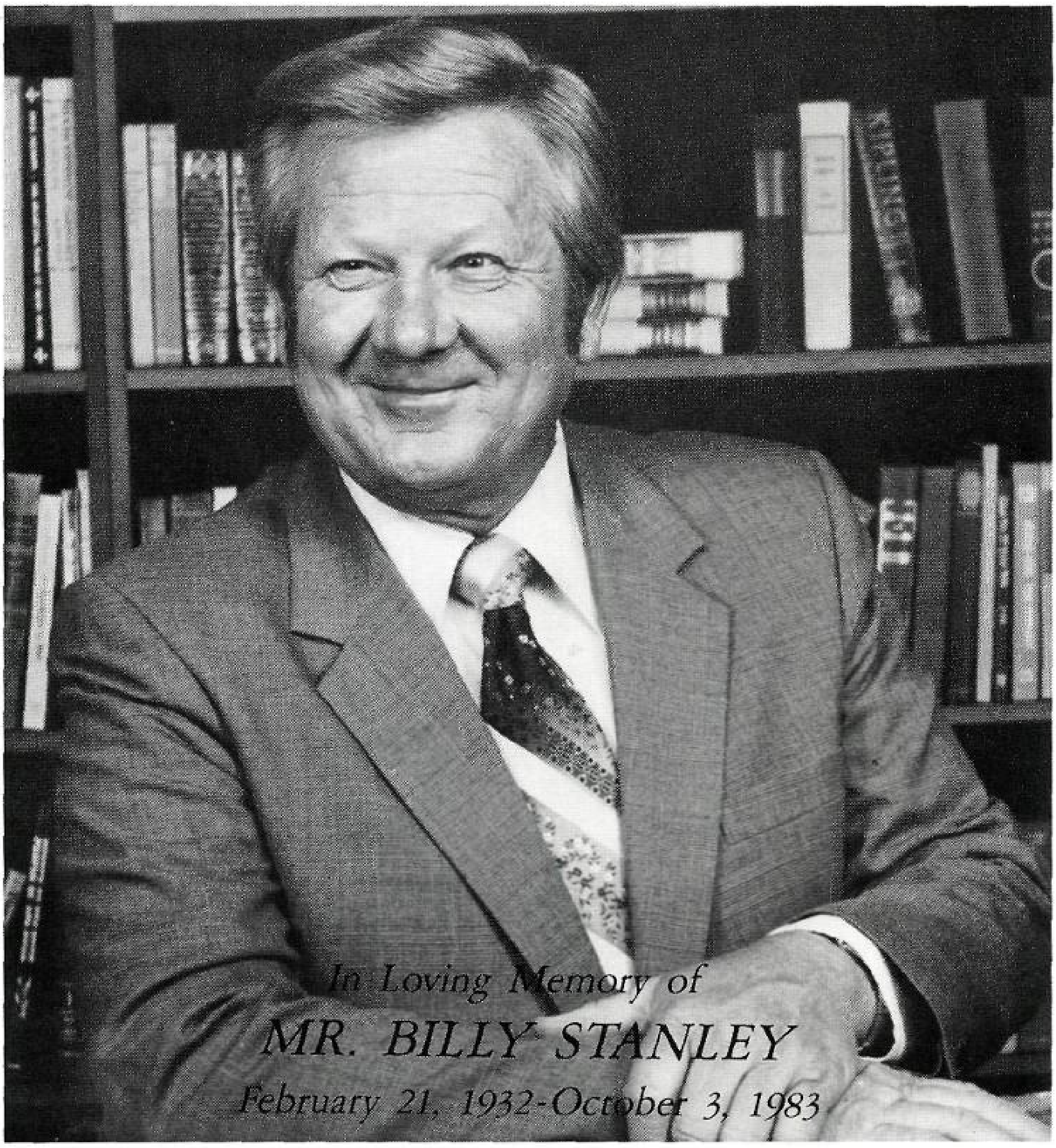
Hustling for the big play. *Concentration and teamwork are vital in every game as Candy Whitley and Monica Scott demonstrate.*
Coach. *Carolyn Turner.*



A time for strategy. *While Miss Turner gives a pep talk, Tammy Estes thinks about her next play during the game.*



Volleyball captains. *Greta Hale, Ida Tucker, and Candy Whitley show outstanding leadership on the court, helping the Lady Bulldogs in spirit and playing ability.*



In Loving Memory of

MR. BILLY STANLEY

February 21, 1932-October 3, 1983

Mr. Billy Stanley, the Dr. Pepper Man, began his service to Smyrna High School in 1961. He provided our school with the basketball scoreboards and also helped to provide the football scoreboard. He purchased ads for every publication of S.H.S., including football calendars, basketball calendars, football programs, and the ***Gold Dust*** *yearbook.*

Mr. Stanley loved Smyrna, and he was one of the most dedicated fans of our football and basketball teams. Mr. Raikes said that he could not remember a single time that Mr. Stanley ever missed a football or basketball game at S.H.S. He always had a kind word to say to our students, administration, and faculty.

Mr. Stanley worked for Dr. Pepper for thirty-six years. A truly ***24 Carat Gold*** *man in our eyes, we, the* ***Gold Dust*** *staff, dedicate our advertising section in loving memory of Mr. Billy Stanley, our Dr. Pepper Man.*

ADVERTISEMENTS

THE PARKER GROUP

* BUILDERS

* DEVELOPERS

* PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

* RESTORATION

124 FRONT STREET, SMYRNA, TN.

459-3028

Kentucky Fried Chicken

318 North Lowry
459-2595

Congratulations Seniors

We Do Chicken Right.

A.F. Johns

208 Lowry
459-4602

Congratulations Class of '84!

The 1983-84 ***Gold Dust*** *yearbook staff would like to use this space in order to express appreciation to all of the businesses who so generously supported the production of this yearbook. Without the financial assistance of these businesses, this yearbook could not have been possible.*

These businesses are ***24 carat gold*** *to Smyrna High School.*

YOUR Independent Insurance AGENT
SERVES YOU FIRST

Webb Pickard • Insurance

LaVergne, Tennessee 37086
Phone 793-7502

YOUR Independent Insurance AGENT
SERVES YOU FIRST

MINNOWS
NITE CRAWLERS
COMPLETE LINE OF TACKLE
RODS & REELS
ARTIFICIAL BAIT

LAVERGNE
SPORT CENTER
FOR ALL YOUR FISHING SUPPLIES
*LIVE BAIT * TACKLE * ACCESSORIES*
Fishing & Hunting License

HWY. 41 AT OLD NASHVILLE HWY.
LAVERGNE, TN. 793-6600

P.O. BOX 895
423-C SMYRNA SQUARE
SMYRNA, TENNESSEE 37167

ROBERT E. THOMSON
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT

Phone: (615) 459-8022

LAVERGNE AUTO PARTS, INC.

206 Stone-River Rd.

Lavergne, Tn. 37086
Phone 793-6778

CARQUEST

BILL REED

M&M VARIETY MART

P.O. BOX 156 • 5154 MURFREESBORO RD. • LAVERGNE, TN 37086

YAZOO — HUSTLER — BOBCAT
JACOBSEN — GREEN MACHINE

ELDON BISHOP
SALES

Lawn Care Sales & Service

615-793-6052
WISCONSIN, KOHLER, BRIGGS, & TECUMSEH

SALES • PARTS • SERVICE

41 SHOPPING CENTER
LAVERGNE, TN 37086

SUN LAND PLANS

Featuring:
Southern Living ®
Progressive Farmer ®
Decorating & Craft Ideas ®

SUNLAND PLANS
2313 6th Ave. So. Birmingham, Ala. 35233
STEVE GRAVES
Representative

Route 8, Tanglewood Ct.
Murfreesboro, TN 37130
615-896-0492

---

(615)355-0333

Ladies Fashions

Congratulations Seniors

132 So. Lowry St.
Smyrna, TN 37167

CAROLYN PERRY • MARY POGUE • SALLY SWEENEY

SOUTH LOWRY ST.
SMYRNA, TN 37167

CABBAGE PATCH

PLANTS & PRODUCE
WHOLESALE & RETAIL

JAMES HART
(615)355-0613

Dick Deneweth

459-5319

Controlled Energy, Inc.
Insulation Contractor

"Complete Weatherization"

509 New Nashville Hgwy. Smyrna, Tennessee 37167

FASHION EYEWEAR
CONTACT LENSES

Ammon I. Williamson
Optometrist

Family Optometric Center, P.C.
504 S. Lowry St.
Smyrna, TN 37167

(615) 459-4912

Barbara Stofer
Optician

Compliments of Sam Ridley, Mayor

John B. Lane, Attorney

Congratulations Class of '84!

MICHAEL P. CUNNINGHAM, D.D.S.
GENERAL DENTISTRY

Congratulations Class of '84!

Congratulations, Francine G. Boisvert, on your graduation.
In Loving Memory of Nanny.
Love, Aunt Betty and Uncle Carl.

McDonald's®

Congratulations Class of '84.
McDonald's
346 North Lowry Street

Electric Scene

Restaurant

379 Lowry
355-1693

Family Amusement

SHOP NUMBER
793-7613

RALPH (SKIP) WIRICK
OWNER

Clean Cut Saw Service
111 DICK BUCHANAN ST.
LAVERGNE, TENN. 37086

EMERGENCY SERVICE
793-6591

BUD JONES
Agent

48 State Authority
ICC No. MC 35320 Sub 621F

TIME-DC

5486 Murfreesboro Road
P.O. Box 830
LaVergne, TN 37086
615/793-9851

---

8 NORTH SIDE SQUARE
MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE 37130

Bell
FINE JEWELERS
SINCE 1879

(615) 893-9162

Vox office supply

EQUIPMENT AND FURNITURE

P.O. Box 834
Smyrna, Tennessee 37167

J.D. JONES'

BI-RITE and FOOD TOWN Stores

Located 1500 ft. East of
I-24 on
Almaville Road, Smyrna

Box 188
Hazelwood Dr.
Smyrna, TN 37167

SMYRNA ANIMAL CLINIC

Phone 459-5652
John M. Key D.V.M.

ADVANCED HAIRSTYLES

Blow cut and Styling
Body Cutting — Wedges
Hair Coloring — Frosting
Manicures

Complete Beauty Service
Judy Bushee — Owner
Catering to Women and Men

Open
Tues.-Sat. 8-5
Evenings By Appointment
459-6731

AT "CHARLIE'S" THE FOOD IS WORTH HOWLING FOR

Open 5 Days
Mon.-Fri. 5:30 a.m. To 3:00 p.m.
Featuring Country Breakfast

And Home Style Cooking
For Lunch.

Charlie's Country Village
Restaurant
Almaville Rd. & Old Nash. Hwy.
Phone 459-2386

Smyrna's TEXACO PIT STOP

Smyrna Texaco Pit Stop and Car Wash

Open 24 Hours
U.S. 41 and Moore Ave.
459-9518

IMPERIAL
FOODS, INC.

Serving Schools, Hospitals, Colleges, Nursing
Homes & Institutions In The Middle Tennessee
Area Since 1971
Smyrna Airport Smyrna, TN 37167

HAASCO

OFFICE & SCHOOL SUPPLIES

PHONE 890-6343 — MURFREESBORO
"WE APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS"

SMYRNA Rexall. DRUG

ENON SPRINGS ROAD IN THE PINTO BUILDING
PHONE: 459-3411 SMYRNA, TN

Rexall®

Larry Lee
US 41
Smyrna

LARRY LEE'S EXXON
Service Center

Phone
459-3429

609 N. Lowry
Smyrna, TN 37167

SMYRNA DISCOUNT SHOES

"Save 30% to 60% on Name Brands"

Phone
459-4797

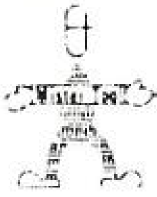
Ken's DISCOUNT PHARMACY

PHONE 459-6396

HWY. 41 ACROSS FROM SMYRNA HOSP. • KENNETH L. DUNLAP, R.Ph. • SMYRNA, TENN.

Drive-In Window
24-hour Emergency Service

459-7368 — SMYRNA, TN.



Mister Tool

RENT-ALL CENTER

We Rent And Sell Most Everything

890-7368 — MURFREESBORO, TN.

TANGENT TOOL AND DIE CO.

729 'F' St. — Smyrna Airport

Smyrna, TN 37167

SMYRNA AUTO SUPPLY

459-4123

621 N. Lowry

"Complete Machine Shop Service . . . Crankshaft Grinding"
Ramco Rings — TRW Motor Parts — Import Car Parts

459-2451

Smyrna, TN

Compliments of a Growing
Member Of Smyrna's Industrial Community

SQUARE D COMPANY

An Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer

SWAN®

CUMBERLAND MANUFACTURING COMPANY

Smyrna, Tennessee

Health Care
Products Since
1898

793-6222

Compliments Of

LAVERGNE FIRE DEPARTMENT

793-6223

CAPPS HARDWARE

Bill Capps
Owner

Storm Window and Screen Repair
Poulan Chain Saws
Lawn Mower Repair

Phone 793-5451

5265 MURFREESBORO RD.
LAVERGNE, TENN. 37086

CARAVELLE · BULOVA · OMEGA
WATCHES

Aultman's Jewelers

DIAMONDS · JEWELRY · CHINA
SILVERWARE

893-1833 Murfreesboro, Tennessee 37130 East Side of Square

Home 896-0898

113 W. Vine
Murfreesboro, TN

AGEE'S SPORTING GOODS

"Nothing But
Sporting Goods"

Phone 896-1272

**Utility Contracting
Company, Inc.**

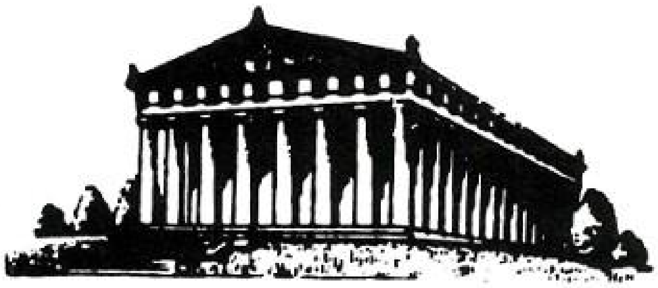
P.O. BOX 942
NEW NASHVILLE HWY.
MURFREESBORO, TN 37130
(615)459-7448

Congratulations, Seniors!

STATE FARM
Auto Life Fire
INSURANCE

STATE FARM
INSURANCE CO.

South Central Regional Office
760 N.W. Broad Street
Murfreesboro, Tennessee



"WELDED STEEL TUBING"

Parthenon METAL WORKS, Inc.

LAVERGNE, TENNESSEE 37086

Phone 459-6728
511½ Hazelwood Drive

Eula & Sherry's Beauty Shop
Complete Hair Care

Near High School
Smyrna, Tenn. 37167

Sara's Flowers and Gifts

210 North Lowry
P.O. Box 141
Smyrna, TN 37167

Business 459-2799
Residence 459-3150
Sara Hale, Owner

"Everything In Music"

102 East Vine Street
Murfreesboro, Tennessee 37130
893-4241

The Music Shop

J&M
SUPPLY, INC.

HOME SUPPLY, INC.
LaVergne, Tennessee 37086
WINDOWS — DOORS — TRIM
STOVES — PAINT — WALLPAPER
HARDWARE — PLUMBING — ELECTRIC

John Pickard, Owner
Stanly Pack, Sales
Phone 793-7781

---

401 WEST LYTLE STREET
MURFREESBORO, TENN. 37130

HAYNES BROS. Candy Co
Wholesale Confectioners

FAYNE HAYNES, OWNER

PHONE 893-6961

Walter King Hoover Funeral Home

Smyrna, Tennessee

---

707 N. Lowry Street

NICHOLSON DRUG
COMPANY

Smyrna, Tennessee 37167

Phone 459-4124

WALDRON ENTERPRISES REALTORS

Telephone 773-3121

COMMERCIAL • INDUSTRIAL • MOBILE HOME LOTS • RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY FOR SALE OR LEASE

New Nashville Highway • P.O. Box 155

LaVERGNE, TENNESSEE 37086

459-2861
Bolin Tower Bldg.
Smyrna, TN

Smyrna
LAD & DAD
fashions

Fashions For Men and Guys

Don Beecham

U-HAUL

9th & B Street
Smyrna Airport
Smyrna, TN

WRECKER SERVICE

Anderson Airport Exxon — U-Haul

William Anderson
Owner

EXXON

Office Telephone: 459-3459
After 5 & Weekends:
459-6411

PAUL
VAUGHN
STUDIOS

SMYRNA TEXACO SERVICE

Mechanical Work
Heavy & Light Towing
24 Hr. Wrecker Service

603 LOWRY STREET
SMYRNA, TENNESSEE 37167
PHONE 459-5192

Phone Nights 459-4348,
459-9274
or 459-6273

Tenpenny's Tire Center

N. Lowry Street Phone 459-4143

Smyrna, Tennessee 37167

WALDRON'S BARBER SHOP

307 Lowry Street
Smyrna, TN 37167
Phone 459-3461

Latest Styles Utilizing
Latest Techniques
Featuring
Dermatics Cosmetics

FRAN'S HAIR BOUTIQUE

Complete Family Styling
Fran Sallee — Owner & Stylist
Edith Harrison — Stylist
459-6817

Tues-Sat. 8 A.M.-5 P.M.
Wed. & Thurs.
Later by Appt.
Old Nashville Highway

Compliments:

THE LANE COMPANY, INC.

Smyrna, Tennessee

World Champions wear Balfour rings. So should you.

Your class ring is made with the very same craftsmanship and care that go into the making of the sports world's most sought after symbols of accomplishment: the championship rings. Like yours, made by Balfour, of course.

LOS ANGELES
WORLD
DODGERS
SAN FRANCISCO
WORLD CHAMPIONS
STANLEY CUP
ISLANDERS
NBA
WORLD CHAMPIONS
DEBBIE

GILBREATH—HARRIS—YOKLEY
215 East Main Street.P.O. Box 966
Jackson, Tennessee 38301

Balfour®
It's a matter of pride!

DUB RABORN

Business 615-459-4145
Home: 615-459-4152

RABORN INSURANCE AGENCY
COMPLETE INSURANCE SERVICE

410-A SOUTH LOWRY
SMYRNA, TENN. 37167

---

108 Lowry Street
Smyrna, Tennessee
Phone 459-2166

REGAL FURNITURE
COMPANY

Quality Name Brands
Davis — Bassett — Jamison
Lazy-Boy Recliners — Tell City

Free Delivery Easy Terms

SHARP ®
MAGNAVOX
Whirlpool
Amana
Radarange ®
MICROWAVE OVENS

Paul and Phil Johns, Owner
Steve Johns, Manager

PAUL JOHNS-SON
APPLIANCE AND TV SALES

Litton
604 Lowry
Smyrna, Tennessee 37167
Phone: 459-2705

WE SERVICE WHAT WE SELL

RCA
® JENN-AIR
CORPORATION
KitchenAid

P & B MARKET

510 Lowry Street
Smyrna
Congratulations Class of '83

DIAMONDS

MULLINS JEWELERS

19 SOUTH SIDE SQUARE
MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE 37130

Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry
Watch & Jewelry Repair

Call — 893-8403

Haynes Bros.
LUMBER CO.

Your "ONE STOP" Building Material Center
Where the Professionals Trade
Open 7:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. Monday thru Friday
CLOSED ALL DAY SATURDAY — Murfreesboro, TN
739 N.W. Broad Phone 893-1515

PIGG & PARSONS

Jackson Heights Plaza
Murfreesboro, TN 37130

We rent tuxedoes
for your prom.
893-7593

Batey's

Sales & Service

COMPLETE PHOTOGRAPHIC DEPARTMENT
AND OFFICE OUTFITTERS

TELEPHONES (615) 893-8552 — NASHVILLE 244-3316
BOX 578 309 SOUTH SPRING STREET
MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE 37130

Ferrell Electric

Rick Ferrell
459-0954

200 South Lowry St.
Smyrna, Tn.

Kountry Korner Restaurant

Homestyle Cooking
5 a.m.-10 p.m.
Sun.-Sat.

LaVergne, TN
793-7092

Craftiques

ANTIQUES

LOIS FOUTCH

605-B N. LOWRY STREET
SMYRNA, TN 37167
459-8925

JOY JOHNS

Noland's Dairy Pride

Highway 41
459-4308

DUANE LOUX
DL
CHEVROLET

Murfreesboro Road
Smyrna, TN
459-4138

Century 21

J.D. KENNEDY REAL ESTATE

214 N. Lowry Street, Smyrna, Tennessee 37167
Smyrna (615) 459-6841
Nashville (615) 244-4173

J.D. KENNEDY
Broker

Each Office is Independently
Owned and Operated

F.T.D.

TOM'S FLORIST

Daily Deliveries to Murfreesboro,
LaVergne, and Nashville
717 New Nashville Hwy.
459-4747

SAFARI Campgrounds

SAFARI CAMPGROUNDS

I-24 Almaville Rd.

459-6663

Camping,
Picnicing,
and Swimming

EMERSON

CHROMALOX INSTRUMENTS
AND CONTROLS DIVISION
EMERSON ELECTRIC CO.

100 HEIL-QUAKER BOULEVARD
LAVERGNE, TENNESSEE 37086

Smyrna Printing & Design

200 North Lowry Street
Phone 459-2223

Tom Hunton
Richard Minor

A COMPLETE LINE OF BUILDING MATERIALS

CROSSLIN
Supply Company, Inc.

EAGLEVILLE, TENN. 274-6237
SMYRNA, TENN. 459-2854
TRIUNE, TENN. 395-4232
FRANKLIN, TENN. 794-8600

WE DELIVER

"A Friend"

"You've Only Just Begun"
Smyrna Professional Building
Betty & Morris Frank

Rhonda Barnes' AEROBICS UNLIMITED

Beginners & Advanced
$2.00 Per Class
Pay As You Go

Dance/Exercise Studio
9B N. Lowry St.
Parking In Rear

No Contracts
459-7561

WE TOTE THE NOTE
NO INTEREST

Rt #12 Box 492
M'boro 37130

TBONE
AUTO SALES
Danny Rogers

OFFICE
895-2711

Connie's Hair Design
Family Hair Care
U.S. 41 793-6344

Larro's Market
400 Old Nashville Highway
LaVergne, Tn.

Business Hours: 7-10

7 days a week

ECONOMY *in Printing*

Serving Local and Out of
State Industry For
More Than
36 Years.

Michael Murphy
102½ E. Vine St.
Murfreesboro, TN 37130
615/893-1381

MURPHY & KERSEY
ATTORNEYS

John C. Kersey
U.S. Highway 41S
P.O. Box 836
Smyrna, TN 37167
615/459-5656

TA Threet & Associates INSURANCE

Stephen E. Threet
Bolin Tower
Smyrna, Tenn. 37167
Telephone 615-459-1028

MARTIN Rexall DRUGS
Jesse Messick, Reg. Ph. and Sons
"ON THE SQUARE"
PHONE 893-9326 MURFREESBORO, TENN

Ear Piercing
Complete
$5.00

Home of the
Dormer Card and
Gift Shoppe

DAVID'S SHEARS, L.T.D.

DAVID R. TUCKER
459-4247
HAIR

HAIRCUTTERS FOR
MEN & WOMEN

CALIFORNIA CONCEPT

APPOINTMENT OR WALK-IN

MARION P. CARTER
OWNER

HWY. 41 SO.

LaVergne Auto Center

459-2111

EST. 1966

TUNE UPS
ELECTRICAL SERVICE

Frank Johns
REALTY

(615) 459-4572
OFFICE & RES. EXT. NIGHTS

MLS REALTOR®

Frank Jones

423 SMYRNA SQUARE
P.O. BOX 93
SMYRNA, TN 37167

---

jwb

John W. Brandon, Jr.

G
H
R

GENE HARDIMAN
REALTY COMPANY

Sales, Rentals, Appraisals

P.O. BOX 314
103 JEFFERSON ST. COLEMAN BLDG.
SMYRNA, TENNESSEE 37167

ALL PRO SPORTING GOODS

Quality Name Brands
Nike — Converse — Wilson

711 N. Lowry
Smyrna, TN
459-7545

Competively Priced
Come See Us For Your
Sporting Good
Needs

KEN'S EXTERMINATING CO.

Ken's

208 Martha Street
Smyrna, TN
459-3273

KEN SALYERS

"KEN CARES"

BRIDAL COUNTRY

Services:
Photography, Bridal
Tux Rental, Invitations
Owners:
George & Helen Wilson

202 Lowry St.
Smyrna, TN

WILSON'S PHOTOGRAPHY

WSVT 710 a breath of fresh air!

You Win With 710
WSVT
Middle Tennessee Clear Channel

Bathtubs, faucets,
commodes, P.V.C. pipe and
fittings — all these things
and more at your plumbing
supply headquarters.
New Nash. Hwy., Smyrna, TN

MFI Wholesale Supply

Wholesale Retail
Your Plumbing Supply Headquarters

7 a.m. to 5 p.m.
daily
459-6944
Visit our show
room

TRIDON INC.

CONGRATULATIONS
1984 SENIORS

Phone (615) 459-5800

P.O. Box 65
Smyrna, TN 37167

FINA

MARKETS, LTD.
ENON SPRINGS ROAD
SMYRNA, TN
459-5018
OPEN 6:00 A.M. to 12:00 MIDNIGHT — 7 DAYS A WEEK

SALES
INSTALLATION
STORAGE SYSTEMS

H-G
CONVEYOR SUPPLY CO.

Bob Harper

P.O. BOX 383
SMYRNA, TENNESSEE 37167
615/459-5193

Bailey Chiropractic Office

Congratulations Seniors

DR. LARRY G. BAILEY

---

200 S. Lowry St.
Smyrna, TN
459-3005

Bailey's
CLEANERS

960 N.W. Broad
Murfreesboro, TN
895-0660

Country Village Shopping
Center
459-0927

U.S. 41
Smyrna, Tennessee

Holiday Parties Are Great Fun,
Especially When They Start
At Your Friendly . . .

WINN DIXIE

Country Village Shopping Center
Smyrna, Tennessee

The Smart Place To Go . . . For Good Things To Eat

Awards For All Occasions
Athletic Letters
Silver Holloware

L&K TROPHY HOUSE INC.

1123 West College St.
(Old Nashville Hwy.)
Murfreesboro, TN 37130

Mon.-Fri. 9 A.M.-5:30 P.M.
Sat. 9 A.M.-1 P.M.

Murf. 893-0547
Nash. 256-7692

BB

BETTER-BILT
ALUMINUM PRODUCTS CO.

G. Street, Smyrna Airport 459-4161

Graduating Senior Invited to Apply
Equal Opportunity Employer

IGA
FOODLINER

GIL'S HARDWARE

Housewares — Keys
Glass Cut — Rinse 'N' Vac
Plumbing & Electrical
Supplies — Benjamin Moore Paint
459-4457

Your Hometown Store Since 1953

Congratulations 1984 Graduates

GIL'S IGA

Open 7 Days
459-2329
East Sam Davis Rd.
Smyrna, TN
Deli Bakery 459-2253

GIL'S SPUR

Seven Days A Week
7 A.M.-10 P.M.
Ice Cold Beverages,
Gas, Picnic Supplies,
Fishing Accessories
459-9825

Western Auto associate store . . .

the family store

SMYRNA, TENNESSEE

Chuck Taylor — Owner

TALIAFERRO MARKET

Old Nashville Hwy.

Quality Produce and Groceries

Sharon and
Marshall Andrews
Owners

We Have
Video Games
Congratulations Lee Brown, Taliaferro
Employee Of '84!

The Looking Glass

Reflecting Your Good Taste

JUNIOR AND LADIES APPAREL SHOP

"Ask About Our Personal Customer Card"

113 Front St. Smyrna, TN 459-6093

BUNCH'S MARKET

IN LAV.
TN

OPEN 24 HRS.
7 DAYS A WEEK
COLD BEER, SOFT DRINKS,
DELI FOOD,
FISHING SUPPLIES,
HARDWARE SUPPLIES, GAS

5052 Murfreesboro Rd.
LaVergne, TN 37086

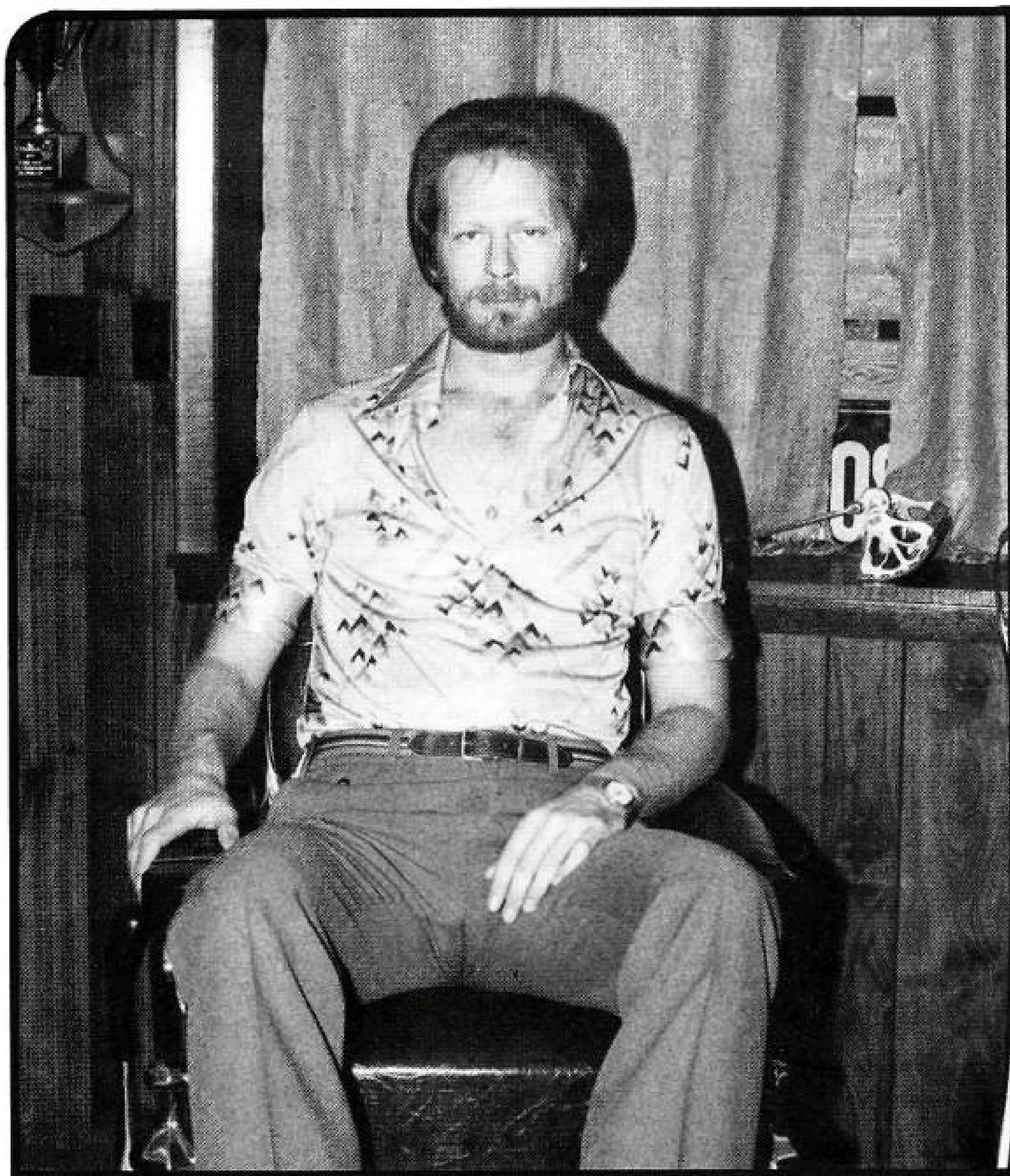
(615) 793-7486

The Dance Academy

212 C. North Lowry
459-2407

Classes In
Tap — Ballet — Jazz
Acrobatics

Children — Adult



Chester Harrell

CHESTER'S

Hair Design

259 Old Nash. Hwy.
LaVergne, TN

Phone: 793-9704
Hrs. Tues.-Fri. — 10-6
Sat. — 9-5

ANDERSON
Pools & Spas

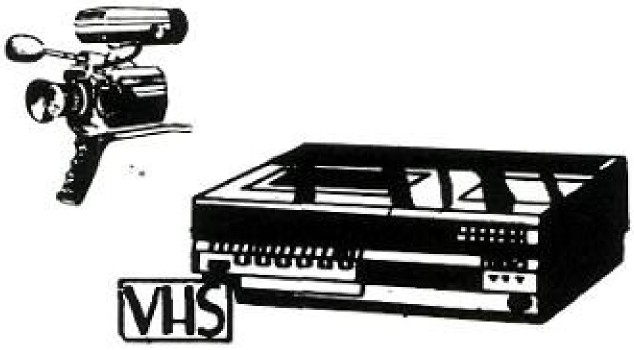
201 Jefferson St. 459-5522
A division of Anderson Concrete, Inc.

DELKER ELECTRONICS

Radio Shack Computers
at discount prices
We Service What We Sell!
Gilsville Family Center
Smyrna, Tn. 37167
459-2636
"The biggest name in little computers"

TRS-80 Model III by Radio Shack

Radio Shack
DEALER



MOVIE RENTALS & SALES • BLANK TAPES
RECORDERS • ATARI

Totally Video

314 SO. LOWRY
SMYRNA, TN 37167
(615) 459-5100

Congratulations To All 1984 Seniors, especially Kim.

JANETTE DOWNING *MIKE DOWNING*

H

LARRY HUTTON

LAVERGNE, TN 37086 • 793-3941

793-5101 104 Sunset Dr.

HUTTON AGENCY

HOLDERFIELD

BATTERY COMPANY

Hwy. 41 South
Smyrna, TN
(615) 459-2233

A Battery For Every Need
Automotive • Commercial • Industrial

Distributors For Gould Action-Pak, Titan And Deka Batteries.

Style Innovators

Markham

MIKE FLYNN
793-7280
Walk-in-Welcome
Tue.-Sat.
8 AM Until

5116 Murfreesboro Rd.

LaVergne, TN

1

Day Service On All Washed and Starched Shirts & Blue Jeans

ONE HOUR

MARTINIZING

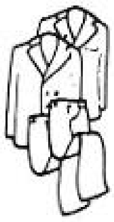
DRY CLEANING

(Formerly Klassic Kleaners)

115 Front St., Smyrna

115 Front St. • SMYRNA
459-3112
7:00 am-6 pm Mon-Sat
Next To Smyrna Post Office

- *Professional Dry Cleaning*
- *Complete Laundry Service*
- *Shirts • Blue Jeans Fatigues*
- *Alterations*
- *Drive-up Window*
- *Suede & Leather Cleaning Weekly*



CROCKER'S AUTO PARTS

Custom auto parts and accessories, custom made hydraulic hose and couplings, wheel bearings installed, carbs. rebuilt, brake rotors turned, etc.

LaVergne, Tenn.

Open 7 days
Weekdays 8-6, Sun. 9-5
Phone 793-7614

Mike's Tire & Auto

5616 New Murfreesboro Road
Smyrna, Tennessee
459-7115

224-0950 NASHVILLE
355-0517 SMYRNA

FERRELL & SONS ELECTRIC CO.
LICENSED ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR

CHARLIE FERRELL, Owner
Eddie Ferrell, Son

P.O. BOX 1158
5499 M'BORO RD.
LAVERGNE, TN 37086

1300-B hazelwood
country village

Lena's
Hair Designs

615 • 459 • 2146
smyrna, tennessee 37167

TENNECO FOOD STORE 3340
523 SOUTH LOWRY
SMYRNA, TENN. 37167

459-2525

459-2526

TENNESSEE
AUTO SUPPLY

ROY GOSSETT BILL LECKIE

Lowry St.

Smyrna, TN 37167

Enjoy Coca-Cola
Trade-mark ®

Coke® is it!

510 SE Broad

893-2554

Dr Pepper®

Bill
Culbertson
Owner

TALIAFERRO'S MARKET
Old Nashville Hwy.

Quality Produce and Groceries

We Have
Video Games

DEHOFF PUBLICATIONS
TELEPHONE 615/893-8322
GEORGE W. DEHOFF
PRESIDENT

DEHOFF'S
DEHOFF PUBLICATIONS

749 NORTH WEST BROAD STREET
MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE 37130

Grocery Items
Morning Fresh Bakery
Creole Fried Chicken

JR. Food Mart
25 N. Lowry
Smyrna

Gasoline
Open 24 Hours — 7 Days
459-8108

Congratulations 1984 Seniors!

Stephen D. Poss, D.D.S.
113 Country Village Shopping Center
Smyrna, TN. 37167
355-1033

PHONE 459-1029
Don Castleman
Owner
JOHN HAMILTON
MANAGER

CASTLEMAN CAR-MARKET

"Affordable Good Used Cars"
We Help Finance

610 S. NEW NASHVILLE HWY.
SMYRNA, TENN. 37167

Mingle Realty, Inc.

Grace L. Mingle, G.R.I.
BROKER
C.W. Williams
Realtor — Co-Owner

BUS.: 615-459-5454
RES.: 615-459-3365

207 JEFFERSON STREET
SMYRNA, TENNESSEE 37167

PHONE 793-7440

LAVERGNE PHARMACY

LAVERGNE, TENNESSEE

Samsonite

SAMSONITE SUPPORTS THE BULLDOGS

MURFREESBORO FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOAN

Smyrna Office 459-2535

MICHELIN
TIRES
CUSTOM WHEELS
MOUNTING & COMPUTER BALANCE
GABRIEL SHOCKS
CBI
NEW - QUALITY RECAPS
• TIRE TRUING • RETREADING
• SPIN BALANCING • COMPUTER BALANCING
• BATTERIES • BRAKES & SHOCKS

TIRE WORLD INC.

Bridgestone
Hercoles

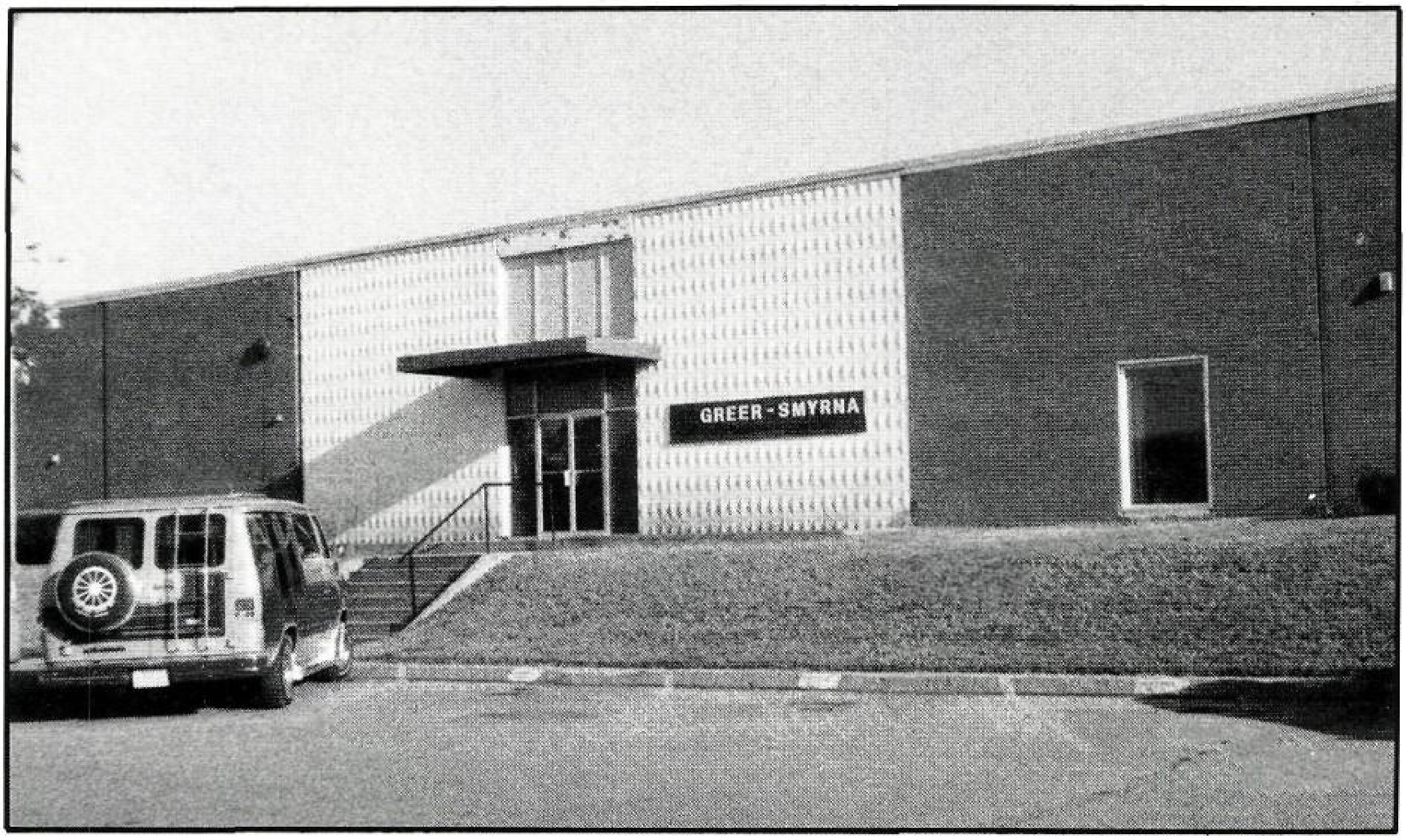
38 South Lowry St.
459-9000

Pepperoni's Playhouse

Country Village Shopping Center
355-0014
Congratulations Class of '84!

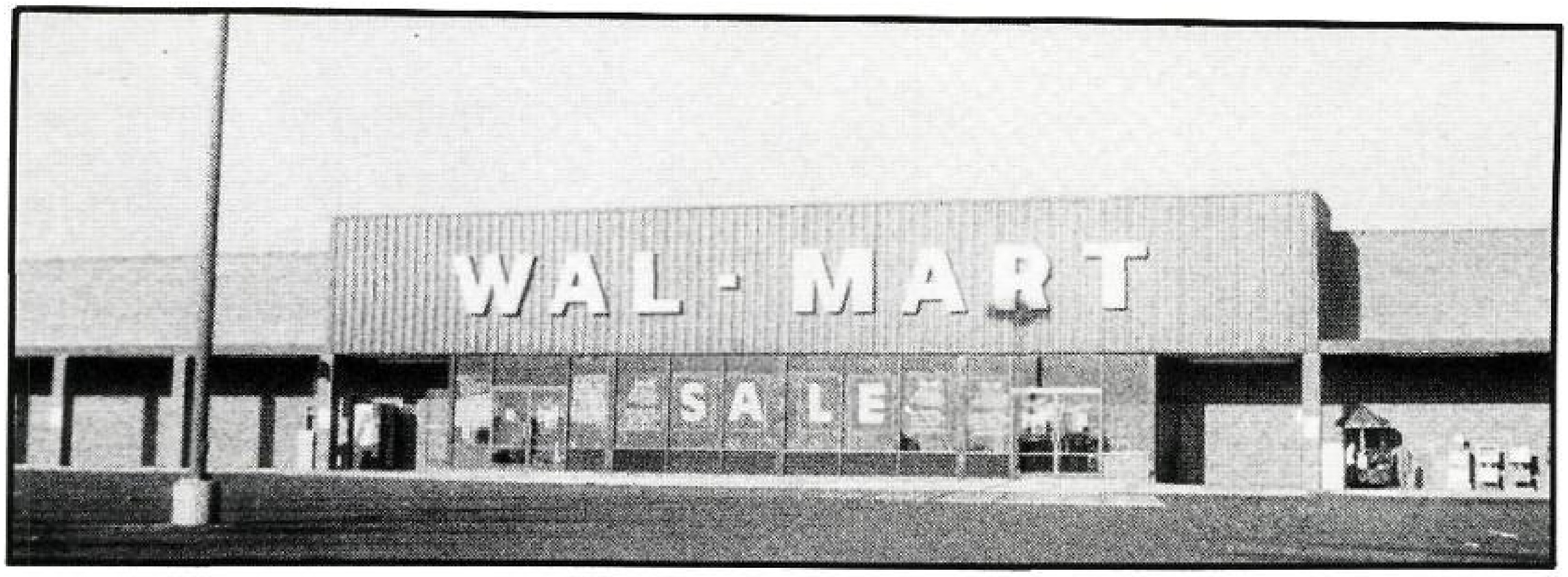
D.V. Jordan Enterprises

Rt. 12 New Nashville Highway
Murfreesboro, TN. 37130
355-0922
Congratulations Class of '84


GREER-SMYRNA

20 Years In Smyrna

WAL-MART


WAL-MART
SALE

WE CARE
From All Smyrna Wal-Mart Associates

Mitchell's
FORMAL WEAR

MARK OF A MAN®

The Best For Prom

GILDA BUNCH YORK
MANAGER

HICKORY HOLLOW MALL
ANTIOCH, TENN. 37013
TELEPHONE 832-7288

Rutherford County Automobile Association

University Ford & Lincoln Mercury
Jackson Brothers Chevrolet
Davies Olds — Cadillac — Izuzu
Stones River Motors

Honda Car Village
Alexander Toyota
Duane Loux Chevrolet
Richard Smith Buick Pontiac

Congratulations Seniors!

HR+
K-MART
SHOPPING CENTER

Horner Rausch
OPTICAL COMPANY

Smyrna
459-6855

HR+

PEPSI
BEAMAN
BOTTLING COMPANY
7UP

715 Thompson Lane • Nashville, Tennessee 37204

THE 1984 GOLD DUST STAFF

Adviser
Mrs. Martha Millsaps

Editor
Kristie Haynes

Assistant Editor
Phil Lewis

Business Manager and Advertisements
Jim Rippy

Copy Editor
Diane Griffin

Administration and Classes
Francine Boisvert, Editor
Audra Brown
David Miller

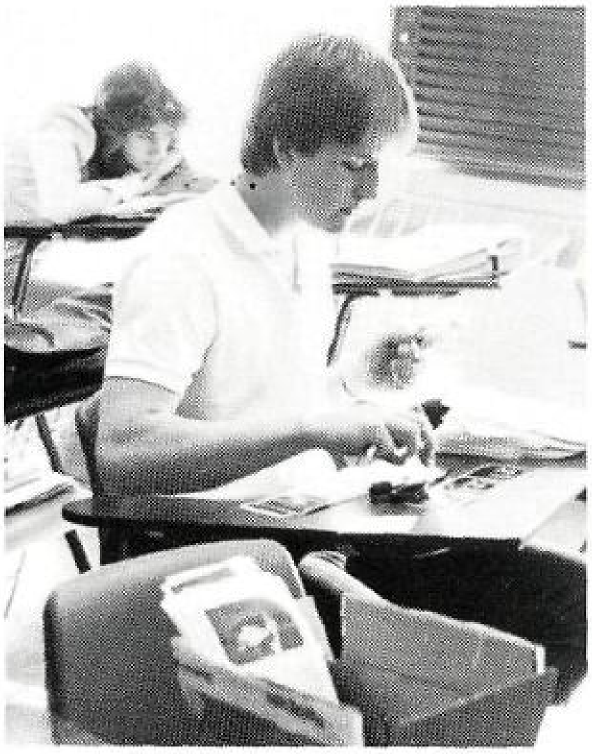
Student Life and Features
Sandi Johns, Editor
Teresa Landry
Paige Ward

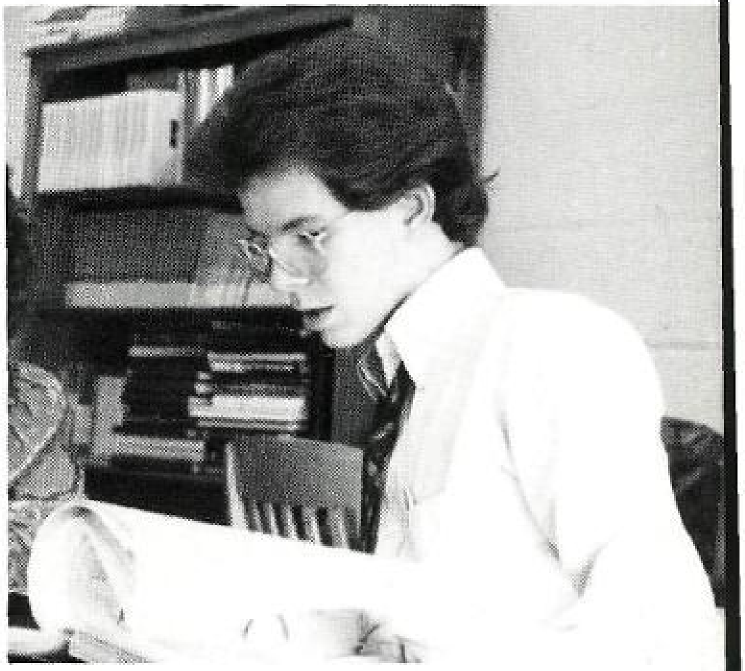
Sports
Barry Cartwright, Editor
Ricky Allen
Jim LeeMaster
Cindy Taliaferro

Clubs and Organizations
Sharon Jones, Editor
Angela Peyton
Lisa Spann

Photographer
Barry Cartwright

PERSONAL REFLECTIONS





An Unusual Task for a Junior. *While Jim LeeMaster's usual journalism work involved the sports section, he later had to help to organize pictures for the senior section.*
An Impossible Task . . . Almost. *Spelling, page numbers, picture placement, and hundreds of names must be checked and rechecked before a section is printed. David Miller takes time to recheck the names in the sophomore section.*

*As you turn the page of this annual, I hope you find in its pages everything that you want to remember about this golden year. Along with the other members of the **Gold Dust** staff, I have tried to put together an excellent book.*

This hasn't been easy. I have found that being an editor means more than just correcting the work of others; it also means working around the fact that the day before a deadline, we still have no pictures. I have done my best to insure that this annual is one that you will be proud of now and forever.

The staff and I would like to thank some very special people. Thanks go to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johns for the use of their lovely home for superlative pictures. Special thanks also go to Mitchell's Formal Wear and Paul Vaughn Studios for making our superlative section great. We would also like to thank Jim Davis for producing most of the sports pictures that are seen in this yearbook. Special thanks to Mr. Bucy for designing our school seal to use on the cover of this golden book. To Johnny Loviet, our yearbook representative, we thank for all the times he was there when we needed him. Special thanks goes to Mr. Raikes for his support and caring to make this book the best.

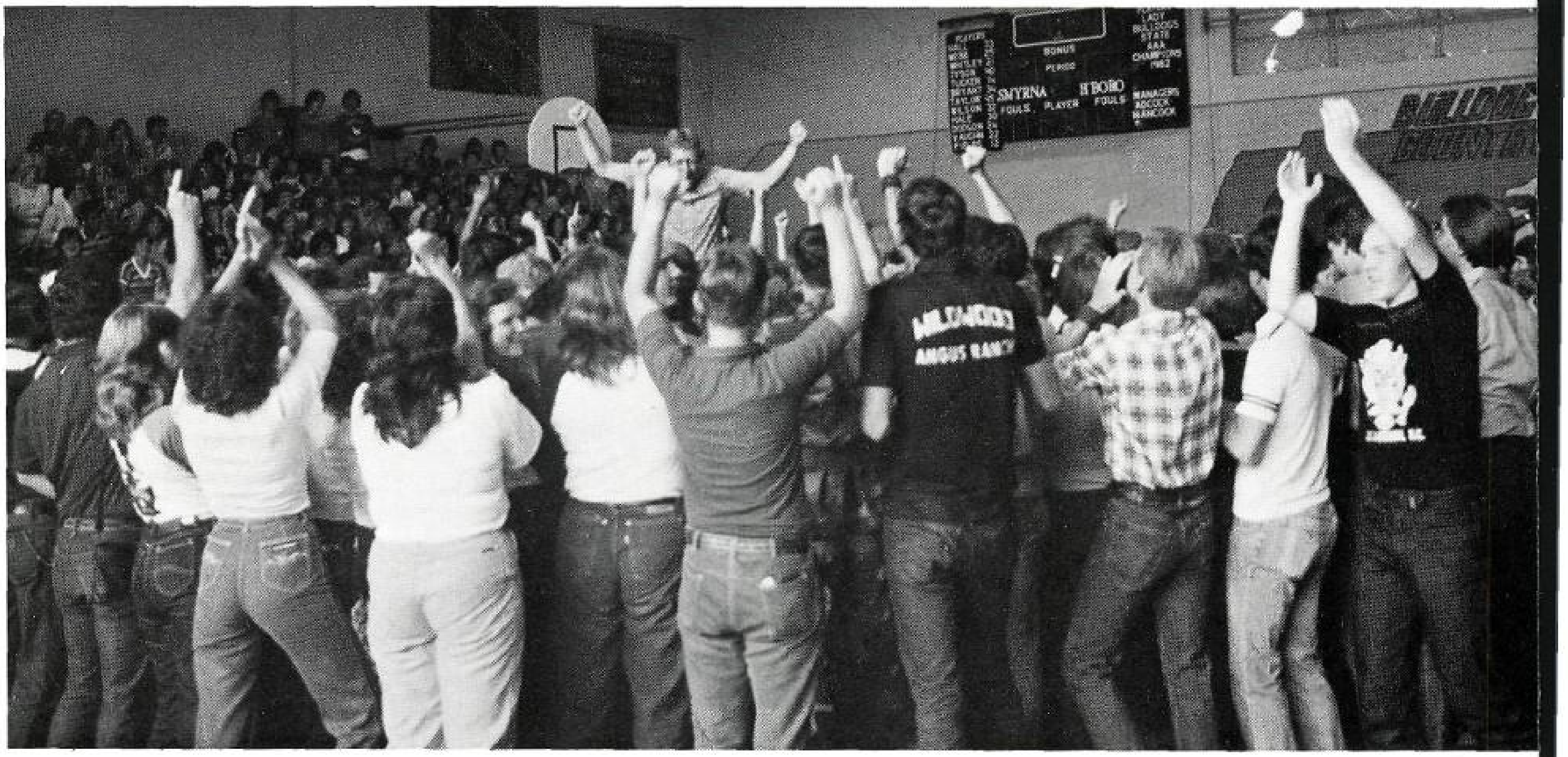
*Personally, I would like to thank each and every member of the staff. The support, the work, the caring, and the diligence of each member have made this truly a 24 **Carat Gold** book. The closeness among the staff is very special. We go through so many things together — selling ads, birthday celebrations, hectic deadlines, stupid captions, and our annual banquet roast. All of these individuals are of extreme importance in producing this yearbook.*

*Mrs. Martha Millsaps, all of us on the **Gold Dust** staff appreciate and care about her. She taught us the way to produce a golden yearbook. Her concern for us and our problems has proved to be never ending. Without the devotion and friendship that she has shown, this yearbook would not exist.*

*I hope that this annual meets up to your expectations. We have all done our best to make it a success. This is now your book, written for you, about you. I hope that some of the special moments which you have experienced at Smyrna High School are captured in the **1984 Twenty-four Carat Gold Dust.***

Respectfully,
Kristie A. Haynes

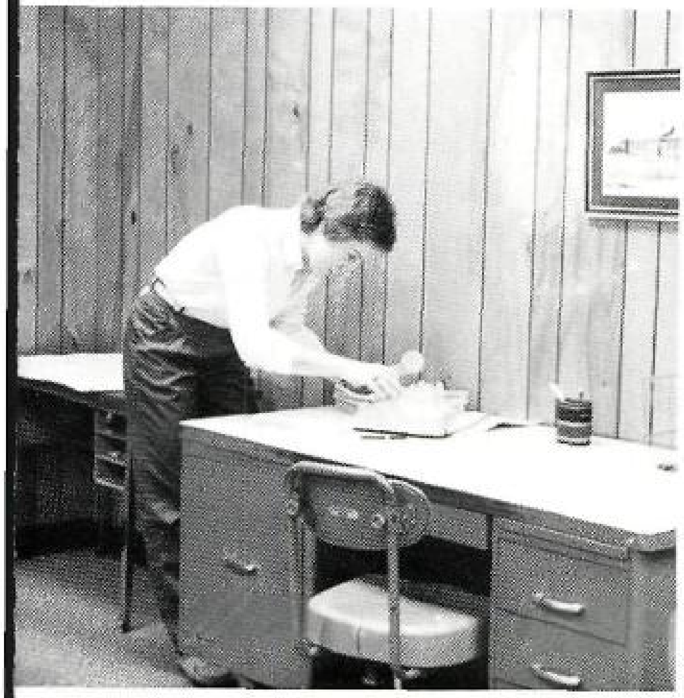
MEMORIES TO LAST A LIFETIME



All for the Seniors *. . . One of the many events sponsored during pep rallies throughout the year was the spirit challenge between the sophomore, junior, and senior classes. After an impressive display of enthusiasm, the seniors were chosen as most spirited.*

Always a Team. *A vital part of any sports program is team unity. Brad Miller, William Mallone, and Bucky Smart eat lunch together to maintain this unity both on and off the field.*

Top Security for a Top Float. *In order to emphasize the feeling of 1920' Chicago, the theme for the prize-winning senior float, Tom Rowlett, Davi Tenpenny, Darren Clark, and Chris Stanley dressed as gangsters and escorted th float around the field.*



A Call From The Office. *Part of Candy Whitley's school day is spent working as an office girl. A major portion of that time is spent answering many calls and checking student absences with parents.*
A Crazy Change of Pace. *One day a year students are allowed to dress outrageously; the one day is the Student Council's "Punk Rock Day". Beads, makeup, strange clothes, buttons, and incredible hairstyles are the temporary dress code of the day. Martha Harris's clothes are exemplary of this dress.*

What Some People Do for Spirit. *As part of the Homecoming festivities, a parade was held the Friday before the game. Jim Rippy is helped into his "Pete the Parrot" costume by Sonja Judkins.*
Two of a Kind. *Clowning around is a favorite pastime for these guys. John Atwood and Mike Schultz were on their way back from lunch when they were caught performing their usual antics.*

A Twenty-Four Carat Gold Year

What a year! We all suffered through mid-terms, made new friends, and in general, supported each other through both the good and bad times. Each class will have different memories of their 1983-84 Smyrna High School year.

The sophomore class will remember being new and having their initial experiences during their first few weeks at S.H.S. They will look back on their first candy sale and magazine drive with relief that these "foolish fundraisers" are over. Juniors will have fond memories of their great anticipation for their class rings and then that blessed day of their arrival. The juniors will also remember their first prom and anticipation of their senior year. The senior class will remember their "term paper terrors," senior pictures, prom, and their long-awaited graduation. The twenty-fifth graduating class of S.H.S. will have accumulated many fond memories of their past three years at Smyrna.

We will all remember the day the school roof collapsed, our bulldog spirit, Homecoming, the opening of Nissan, and the growth of Smyrna. The year 1983-84 at S.H.S. has proven to be a truly ***Twenty-four Carat Gold year.*** *Its memories will indeed last a lifetime.*

John,

Well now you know the truth about ho I feel about you. I hope its not too late to maybe get together sometime and raise a little hell or maybe something else if I find time. Well stay out of trouble

Love Ya lots,
Terrie Cumberland

Larry,

We've had a lot of fun the last few years. Band, Ice Capades, Haunted houses, and everything else. I am going to miss seeing you. You have really been a wonderfu friend to me. Good luck in everything you do and thanks for being a friend.

Love,
Frances Storey

John John Boom,
It's really been fun
this year. Next we get to
go shopping! I remember
all those wild and crazy
times like the Fair! I will
take care and we will see
each other in Florida!
fun, fun, fun, Stay Sweet &
crazy. Forever Friends
& well ever & a day
Love Always
Teresa
Wallis

LARRY, To a guy that I Really got to
Know this year. And think the world of.
I'm glad we got to know each other cause
we have shared alot. I'm glad me + Mike
went shopping at the fair cause you and
Teresa got to go shopping in Florida. and
you have to get chips and cokes. Well this
is our last year. I can't believe it can
you. well stay in touch!
"84"
Love ya
Donna
Roberson

Larry,
What can
I say your
my favorite out
of all the guys I
know. I know I can
always count on you when
I need to talk to someone. you
But sometimes I really give
you hell. But you know I love
you with all my heart. I hope I
make it to graduation. I will if I work!
you won't see me know more. But on the-
other hand I'm going to get out of this jail
you
Take Care, & God Bless.
Love
Always
Julie
Towns

John,

We have done some partying and I though Sheri can't handle hers, NA NA I hope we become even closer. Other things I will tell you when we are alone!

Love you always,
Lisa Carillon

Larry,

Well it has been a hell of a year. We have been through a lot. I hope we'll always be friends. Spring Break was great. I hope that we'll go back next year. You have helped me through a lot, I hope that you'll always come to me if you need anything. May all your hopes and dreams come true. I hope we all get to move out this year. It will be one big party but we can make it. I love you and always will. Don't ever forget me. When ya party you had better do it rite.

Love ya,
Susan

John,
Well what can
I say this has been
the Best year of my life
I have enjoyed it to the
fullest! Orpheus and tryouts,
LaRue, Poole knows - Baby Gras-
days definitely a WI ♡ year!
Remember the night with the
whipped cream k TRY EXPLAINING THAT ONE!

Love Sheri

John,
Hey.☺ Hasn't it been,
Well, hasn't it been interesting? It
has for me.☺ Thanks for making this
year more fun.☺ I'll really miss you
next year, but you better keep in touch, &
don't you dare forget me.☺ Behave &
stay out of trouble (try to, anyway).☺

Love,

Larry,
Hey, man! Wha' Happenin'? Well, it's been a good year so far. I'm really glad I met you this year, and maybe we can go partying in the summer. Hey, good luck in the future. And after you start flying, come and land on top of my house sometime, okay? Have a wild and crazy time at MTSU (I'm sure you will.). Good luck in aviation and music. Maybe I'll see you around.

Friends Forever,
Jeff McGill

To Larry,
you and Mike make the cutest couple, just kidding, well this is it. I wish you the best of luck at MTSU. Tracey Allen

---

J.L.V.
M.F.P.

Larry,
I can't put into words what you are to me. You took me from someone that never did anything wrong, to someone that would try almost anything. (bathroom windows, rolling someone's car, my house, etc.) What else is there to say? Keep in touch ('84 finally got here.)

Love,
Karen Stover

Larry,
It's been a fun year even though every other morning you came in drunk or with a hangover. We've had fun in band after we got Jeff out of the way. Good luck with everything.
Steve Hart

Larry,
I am so glad you and I become such close friends this year. Thanks for putting up with all my problems with Danny and all. You are a great listener. I wish you the best of luck in everything you set out to do cause you deserve it. Stay in touch in the years to come and remember I like to party also 459-7447.

Love and Best Wishes
Lois Sullivan

Larry,
Well, first of all I don't know whether or not I can believe all those storys you tell but who could make-up lies to compare with some of those? Keep up the good work. Don't lighten up. Tighten up.
Bruce Vaugh

JOSTENS

Larry,
I've loved
knowing you for
the past ten years.
You're a real doll. I
would wish you luck in
the future, but I think you'll
make your own! You've been one
friend that I will always treasure.
When you're sliding down the bannister
of life, watch out for the splinters!
Love Always,
Marianne K. Henson

Larry,
It has really been
great having you as
a friend for 6 years. you
used to be a real
bore but now you
are too crazy for
your own good. Be
good and look
up for guidance
if you are ever
in trouble.
you are a
good friend.
Love Always,
Jennifer
Weitemeyer

John,
I'm glad we've got
to become such good
friends. you're a wild
guy. don't forget about
our great co-op class and
bugging Mr. Ralston!!
take care
Friends,
Rhonda

Larry,
It's been fun listening to all
your stories of party, fun, and joyful
times.
Hey Man, you got to take me once,
see if you're tellin' the truth.
Thanks for the wild times and the rest of
the games for band. See ya At MTSU.
Matthew
Tadao
King

Larry,
I've "known"
you most of my
life, but I never really
got to know you. You
seem like a really
nice, crazy guy & I only
wish that I knew you
better.
I hope that you
get everything you want
out of life & that you are
always happy.
Best wishes,
Always,
Penny

P.S.
Aren't you
glad you're almost out
of Co-op?

To
John who is a very
Nice person and I enjoy
having you in my Co-op
class. So John don't party
to hard this summer,
your friend
Teresa Cantrell (Duck)

To a very special
person who I enjoy
working with. Good
luck with all the
things (chores) you
attempt. Stay in
touch after school
is out. Don't hurt
that cute face.
Carren
Leckie

To a
very
sweet guy.
Words are [illegible]
[illegible] to come [illegible] you
Except [illegible] I'm glad [illegible]
great [illegible] I had a chance to
meet you. I had a great
time [illegible] with my
battle [illegible] like maybe
to do it again. You [illegible]
Florida. You're a cool dude.
Love you
Tina Koniger.

Larry,
I'm glad that
I never hear say
"Eat any drugs" anymore!
I must of heard that from
you every morning.
Oh well! lets have a
few this summer.
Patty

Larry,
Well, what can
I say. It's been an
experience. We've definitely
got to keep in touch
after graduation. I'll
miss you more than
anyone. Be good. Tee Hee
Love ya,
Denise

John, (Larry),
Last year in band was great.
We had some partying times.
Those last few months at
work have been even trippier.
John you a fantastic partier
and a good-friend. Be careful
and Keep in Touch. Don't party
with too many Rock Groups.
Do me a ~~favor~~, Pray for peace
for the next 4 years.
Friends,
Chris Stanley
"84"

Larry,
You can definitely
say that we've shared
some wild & hairy times
together. I'll never
forget when you pinched
those 2 girls instead
of me & Natalie. We need
to go to Hermitage Land
again this summer.
Meet ya there.
Call me - 459-6819.
Love You,
Amanda

John,
To one of my bestest friends—
we've had so many good times together—
work, school, parties, and movies. Don't forget me and stay as sweet and fun as you are.
Love you!
Shelly

John, Its been great knowing you. Your a nice person to know. See ya this summer. Don't be a stranger.
LL: Kim

Larry,
We've had some the Loquist really good times. Can't wait til we all move out, talking about partying. Good luck in everything.
Friends Always
Patricia

Larry
To one of the best friends anyone could ever have. Thank-you for all the help you have helped me with. Well, kid we have so much to look forward to. one thing will never change is our Love & friendship. We have so much in and around us. If you ever need me you know where I am at.
Love,
your Annie
R/M/A Young
& Steve
Toiner

Larry, your alright except stupid as HELL! play it cool the rest of your life.
Chris Drasy

Larry,
Its been a good year and you've been a good friend, Good Luck in everything
John Bell

Josten's ®